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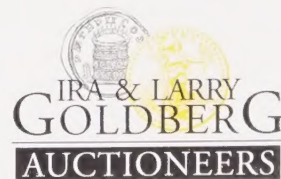
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Held in conjunction with one of the largest annual numismatic events (The New York International Numismatic Convention) the group holds three auctions on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of the week long conference in January and has held over 33 auctions since its conception. By combining a vast array of experience and knowledge the group strives to offer the best service to their clients and customers, whether buying at the auction or as a potential vendor for the sale, any one of the partners can offer advice. Catalogues are produced to the highest possible standard and may be used as a useful reference for serious buyers and coin collectors.

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A. H. Baldwin & Sons Ltd, London Founded in 1872, A. H. Baldwin & Sons Ltd set up their in-house auction department 'Baldwin's Auctions' in 1993 and have since expanded to hold regular auctions of all numismatic material in London, New York, Hong Kong. Baldwin's have been based in central London for over 100 years and are the last remaining traditional coin dealers in London offering an old-fashioned personal service to help you build your collection with confidence.

Our extensive library, comprising thousands of reference books, allows us to research thoroughly all aspects of numismatics from Ancient times to the present day. Today our permanent staff of numismatists include: Edward Baldwin (European, Colonial, Oriental and Russian coins), Dimitri Loulakakis (English, European, Latin American and Modern Greek coins), Steve Hill (English coins), Graham Byfield (Indian and Islamic coins and Commemorative Medals), Paul Hill (Ancient coins), Seth Freeman (British Tokens and Banknotes) and Julie Lecoindre (European and World coins).

The merger of Baldwin's with Noble Investments (UK) PLC in 2005, and the acquisition in early 2008 of Apex Philatelics Ltd. and of Dreweatts & Bloomsbury Auctions in 2012, has seen the company expand to become a formidable market player offering a complete package for any collector of coins, stamps, fine art and collectables. In more recent times (2013), Baldwin's has become a part of the Stanley Gibbons Group plc and is now a more powerful London Stock Exchange listed collectables retailer and 'top 5' UK auctioneer.

Baldwin's has been a member of the International Association of Professional Numismatists (IAPN) since 1969, and is also a founder member of the British Numismatic Trade Association (BNTA), the British Antique Dealer's Association (BADA) and individuals on their staff are members of the American Numismatic Association (ANA) and the Royal Numismatic Society (RNS).



Part of The Stanley Gibbons Group plc



Ira & Larry Goldberg Coins & Collectibles, Inc.

Founded in 1998. Ira and Larry Goldberg have more than 100 years of experience between them, having started working as very young men at Superior Stamp and Coin Company in Los Angeles, California, a prominent company founded by their grandfather in 1931.

Ira and Larry Goldberg refer to their company as a boutique auction house, because of the personal, specialized service they offer to their consignors. Their auction house provides live and online auctions of United States coins and currency, world and ancient coins, numismatics, and manuscripts and collectibles to collectors, dealers, and investors.

Ira and Larry have assembled and auctioned some of the most important collections ever sold, including the 2008 Millenia Collection, which realized \$23,000,000, a one-day, single-owner sale of World and Ancient coins; and the 2014 Missouri Cabinet Collection of U.S. Half-Cent coins, which realized \$18,000,000. In November of 2005, the Goldbergs privately sold the world-renowned King of Siam Set for a record-breaking \$8.5 million.

Ira is an expert on United States coinage, from colonial through modern issues, and an authority on ancient Greek, Roman, and Judean coinage and antiquities, as well as world gold coins, crowns, and minors. Larry is an expert on all phases of United States coinage, as well as U.S. paper money and world gold and silver coins. Both Ira and Larry are valuations contributors to the Red Book and the Blue Book. Both belong to the Professional Numismatist Guild, of which Ira served as president and director, and both belong to the American Numismatic Association, which awarded them a Lifetime Achievement Award in 2011.



DMITRY MARKOV Coins & Medals

Dmitry Markov Coins & Medals, New York

Dmitry Markov's interest in coin collecting goes back to 1972. In 1985 he graduated from the History Department of the Kiev State University (Ukraine) and received his M.A. for the thesis - "Monetary Circulation in Ancient Russia (8th to 13th cent. A.D.)". His broad interests in numismatics include Russia, Ancient Coinage especially those of the Northern Black Sea area, as well as Islamic Central Asia and Caucasus. He has published a number of research articles in these fields.

After coming to the U.S. in 1990, Dmitry Markov founded "Dmitry Markov Coins & Medals," a well-known leading firm dealing. Dmitry Markov's continuing research on Russian, Ancient and Islamic coinage makes an invaluable addition to his very extensive auction catalogs. He issued over 40 illustrated reference catalogues, as well as many other fixed price lists.

Dmitry Markov Coins & Medals have been an elected member of the International Association of Professional Numismatists (IAPN) since 2000. Also a Life Member of the American Numismatic Association (ANA), American Numismatic Society (ANS), a Life Member of the Orders & Medals Society of America (OMSA), as well as many other trade and collectors associations.



M&M Numismatics Ltd.

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Münzen und Medaillen AG (M&M) was established in Basel, Switzerland in 1941. The founders were the brothers Dr. Erich Cahn and Dr. Herbert Cahn, professional numismatists, together with several eminent Swiss collectors.

M&M became well-known in the post WWII period for its monthly fixed price lists, a series which continued for over 60 years. The firm has also conducted over 100 auctions, including great collections such as the Rosen (Ancient electrum), Bally (Roman), Kohlmoos (crown-sized coins) Sutter (Italy and Sicily) and many others. In partnership with Leu Numismatik, M&M also auctioned the Kunstfrend and Niggeler collections.

In the 1990s, Dr. Hans Voegtli assumed responsibility for Ancient coins and Dr. Bernhard Schulte for Medieval and modern coins. In 1996, M&M Numismatics opened in Washington, DC with Lucien Birkler as managing director. In 1997, M&M Deutschland opened in Weil am Rhein, Germany, with Joachim Stollhoff as managing director. The Basel office closed in 2004, but both the American and German firms remain active. Today both companies continue the long tradition of serving collectors and look forward to serving your numismatics needs now and in the future.

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GRADING

Abbreviation Grading System Erhaltungsgrade Degrés de Conservation

Proof	Proof	Polierte Platte	Flan bruni
UNC	Uncirculated	Stempelglanz	Fleur du coin
EF	Extremely Fine	Vorzüglich	Superbe
VF	Very Fine	Sehr schön	Très beau
F	Fine	Schön	Beau
VG	Very Good	Sehr gut erhalten	Très bien conservé
G	Good	Gut erhalten	Bien conservé

We also use terms "about", "almost", "choice", etc. to help describe the coins and split grades (e.g. VF/EF) when the two sides grade differently. We attempt to describe noteworthy characteristics beyond what is expected for the grade.

We would also like to introduce you to the new collector's convenience feature for the Russian part only: rarity signs for every single coin by the reference provided. The following abbreviations used by the standard references (Brekke, Severin, Uzdenikov) are substituted by us in this simple manner:

•	= (S)	= Scarce
—	= (R)	= RARE
÷	= (RR)	= VERY RARE
÷	= (RRR)	= EXTREMELY RARE
÷	= (RRRR)	= EXCESSIVELY RARE
!!	= (!!)	= Several specimens are known

Please refer to www.TheNewYorkSale.com for complete bibliography and published references

Pre-Petrine Coinage
Kievan Rus'



2001 **Great Principality of Kiev.** Svyatopolk the “Damned”, 1015-1019. Srebrennik. 2.85 gm. Cf.S/S 178. Enthroned facing figure of Prince Svyatopolk, wearing hat with a cross, and holding long cross in his right hand, legend around / Two-armed tamgha with one arm ending in a cross. The cross is within a quadrilobe, and contains a pellet at the center, top and left and right terminus, the bottom is an inverted “V”. *Extremely rare* and far more elusive than issues of Vladimir I. The alloy appears to contain a high content of silver. Unusually full flan. Heavy wear.

Good Fine

\$ 4,000

Alexei Mikhailovich, 1645-1676



2002 **Jefimok Rouble 3P30 (1654).** Novodel. Overstruck on European Taler. 25.22 gm. Ornamental edge. Reichel 715, Zander, pl. 9. Tsar on horseback r., holding scepter over his shoulder / State emblem. Cyrillic date 7162 (year of the World). Always popular novodel of Russia’s first western-style Crown. *Rare.* Fragment of host coin visible center reverse. Deep purple slate-gray.

Extremely fine

\$ 5,000

A Nice Run of Jefimoks



2003



2003

Jefimok Rouble 1655. "Horseman" and "1655" counterstamped on the obverse of a Netherlands, Campen Leeuwendaalder 1648 (Delmonte 862). 26.63 gm. Spassky 273 – this piece. *Very rare.* Good very fine

\$ 2,500

Ex "Russian Coins from the Fuchs Collection (Part III)," Sotheby's, London, 24-25 April, 1997, lot 18, comes with sales envelope



2004



2004

Jefimok Rouble 1655. "Horseman" and "1655" counterstamped on the reverse of an Erfurt 2nd Anniversary of the Battle of Leipzig Taler 1632 (Dav 5268). 28.79 gm. Spassky 1211a – this piece (but incorrect reference and date given). *Very rare.* Extremely fine

\$ 3,000

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2005



2005

Jefimok Rouble 1655. "Horseman" and "1655" counterstamped on the obverse of a Saxon Taler of Johann Georg I, 1626 HI (Dav 7601)). 28.63 gm. Spassky 1112 -- this piece. *Very fine*

\$ 2,500

Ex Giessener Münzhandlung – Dieter Gorny Sale, Giessen, 27-28 Nov., 1978, lot 1593

Only Known Jefimok on a coin of Ulm



2006

- 2006 Jefimok Rouble 1655. "Horseman" and "1655" counterstamped on the reverse of a German Taler of Ulm, 1620 (Dav 5903). 27.19 gm. Spassky 1468. Only known Jefimok produced from a coin of Ulm. Very fine \$ 3,000

Ex "Eine Spezial Sammlung v. Talern mit Russischen Countermarken der Zaren Alexei Micholowitch". Der Sammlung uberstemelter Taler der Eremitage," Krause # 3, Braunschweig, October 1928, lot 1478



2007

- 2007 Jefimok Rouble 1655. "Horseman" and "1655" counterstamped on the reverse of a Salzburg 1637 Taler of Paris v. Lodron (Dav 3504). 28.54 gm. Spassky – date unrecorded. Horseman c/m somewhat weak, otherwise Extremely fine \$ 2,500

Ex "Russian Coins from the Fuchs Collection (Part III)," Sotheby's, London, 24-25 April, 1997, lot 162

Second Recorded Jefimok on a Trautson Taler



2008

- 2008 Jefimok Rouble 1655. "Horseman" and "1655" counterstamped on the obverse of an Austrian Taler of Trautson issued under Paul Sixtus v. Falkenstein, 1620 *Vienna mint* (Dav 3423). 28.48 gm. Cf. Spassky 1570 (Dav 3425). Extremely rare and only the second recorded issue of Trautson so counterstamped. Very fine \$ 3,000

Ex "Russian Coins from the Fuchs Collection (Part III)," Sotheby's, London, 24-25 April, 1997, lot 187

Extremely Rare Italian State Usage



2009 Jefimok Rouble 1655. "Horseman" and "1655" counterstamped on the obverse of an Italian Tallero of Tuscany issued under Cosimo II de Medici, 1621 (Dav 4196). 27.54 gm. Spassky 1499 – this piece. Italian hosts are *Extremely rare*. Very fine \$ 4,000

Ex "Russian Coins from the Fuchs Collection (Part III)," Sotheby's, London, 24-25 April, 1997, lot 173

Manifestly Rare and Important Jefimok on Venetian Scudo of Molin



2010 Jefimok Rouble 1655. "Horseman" and "1655" counterstamped on the obverse of an Italian Scudo of Venice issued under Francesco Molin (1646-1655), undated, mintmaster PG over ZAZ (Dav 4252). 31.21 gm. Spassky – unrecorded for his Doge. *Of the highest rarity*. Very fine \$ 4,000

Ex "Russian Coins from the Fuchs Collection (Part III)," Sotheby's, London, 24-25 April, 1997, lot 176

Peter I, the Great, 1689-1725



to 1.5x



2011



to 1.5x

- 2011 2 Ducat 1714. *Moscow, Red mint. GOLD. 6.4 gm. Novodel. Bit H19 (R2), Diakov (2012) 446 (R3), Sev 39 (RR), Uzd 0022N (R). Numerous pinscratches. Rare.*
 Very fine \$ 10,000

Excessively Rare Capture of Azov Chervonets 1711



to 3x



2012



to 3x

- 2012 Chervonets (Ducat) 1711. *Moscow, Kadashevsky mint. GOLD. 3.40 gm. Bit 16 (R3), Diakov 345 (R4), GM 56.1 (RRR), Petrov (250 Rubl.), Sev 21 (RRRR). Imperial eagle on reverse holding four maps (charts), one in each of its beaks, one in each of its talons. This Excessively rare Ducat was struck following the capture of Azov. The four maps signify Russian sovereignty over the Baltic, White, Caspian and Black Seas. However, following Tsar Peter's capture and the hastily concluded peace with Turkey on July 12, 1711, Azov was returned to the Sublime Porte. As a result, the mint recalled all of the Ducats.*
 Very fine \$ 75,000



2013

2013 Rouble #АУК (1720). *Moscow, Kadashevsky mint.* Crown flanked by dots above head, nails on sleeve. Bit 326, Diakov 922, Petrov (4 Rubl.), Sev 473 D (S), Uzd 0588. Authenticated and graded by NGC EF 45. Well-struck with attractive toning on near problem free surfaces Good extremely fine \$ 5,500



2014

2014 Rouble #АУКА (1721) К. *Moscow, Kadashevsky mint.* Bit 474, Diakov 1150, Sev 512-4, Uzd 0599. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58. Bold strike with underlying mint lustre, toned. Choice almost uncirculated \$ 6,000



2015

2015 Rouble 1725 СПб. Sun Rouble. Mmk under sleeve. Struck over uncertain European Taler. Lettered edge. 28.27 gm. Bit 1373 (R), Diakov 18, Sev 672 (S), Uzd 0626, Cf. Zander p.24. We have found no other St. Petersburg mint Peter I Rouble with clear traces of a lettered edge. *Quite Rare and important thus.* Light medium gray. Very fine \$ 5,000



2016

2016 Rouble 1725 СПб. Small cross above head, small head. 27.3 gm. Bit 1344 (R), Diakov 31, Petrov (15 Rubl.), Sev 659 (R), Uzd 0626. Has been looped. Light gray Very fine \$ 2,000

A Superb Group of Incredible Peterine Silver



to 2x



2017

2017 Poltina #AΨД (1704) МД. 14.12 gm. Bit 538 (R), Diakov 102, Sev 131 (S), Uzd 0468 (S). Pale violet-gray with soft iridescent hues and full mint lustre. Quite well preserved for the type. Extremely fine-about uncirculated \$ 7,500



to 2x



2018

2018 Poltina #AΨЗ (1707). Moscow, Kadashevsky mint. 14.27 gm. Bit 571 (R1), Diakov 238 (R1), Sev 227 (R). Rare. Excellent strike offering finely detailed types, one of the finest known. Light slate gray. Uncirculated \$ 7,500



to 2x



2019

2019 Poltina 1725/4. Moscow, Red mint. 14.22 gm. Bit 1075 (R1), Diakov 1640 (R1), Sev - unl. Rare, especially so nice. Light slate gray on near flawless surfaces, bold types.

About uncirculated

\$ 3,000



to 2x



2020

2020 Polupoltina #AΨB (1702). Novodel. Bit H702 (R2), Diakov 47. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63. Very rare. Attractively toned with hints of gold hues.

Choice brilliant uncirculated

\$ 3,000



to 2x



2021

2021 Polupoltina ≠АЩД (1704) МД, 7.01 gm. Bit 716 (R1), Diakov 127. *Very rare.* Attractively toned, iridescent highlights. About uncirculated \$ 7,500



to 2x



2022

2022 Polupoltina ≠АЩЕ (1705). 7.11 gm. Bit 722 (R1), Diakov 208, Sev 156 (S). Soft steely gray. Extremely fine \$ 7,500

Ex Coin Galleries Sale, New York, Feb. 12, 1986, lot 929, comes with tag.

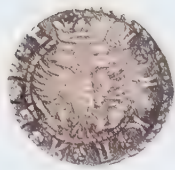
A Superlative Pair of Tynfs



2023 Tynf 1707/8 IL-L. Moscow, *Kadashevsky mint*. Legend ends +++, Large crown reverse. Bit 3827 (R1), Diakov 318 (R2), Petrov (15 Rubl.), Sev 243 (RR), Uzd 4860 (S). Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 63. Original lustre. One of the finest known. *Very rare*, especially so nice. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 35,000



2024 Tynf 1708 IL-L. Moscow, *Kadashevsky mint*. Small crown reverse. Bit 3830 (R1), Diakov 309 (R2), Petrov (20 Rubl.), Sev 242 (R), Uzd 4860 (S). Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 62. *Very rare*, especially so nice. Well-struck with considerable original mint lustre. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 25,000



2025

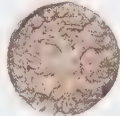
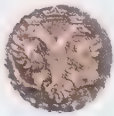


to 1.5x



2025

2025 Grivnya ≠ЯΨΩ (1709) БК. 2.88 gm. Large crown with pearls. Bit 1103 (R), Diakov (2012) 326 (R1). Quite nice for issue, light medium gray. Extremely fine \$ 1,000



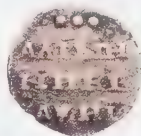
2026



2026 Small lot of Altyns ≠ЯΨД (1704). 0.81-0.87 gm. Diakov 157ff. Four pieces, varieties. Д./Б.К., No pellet after date/Б.К., no pellets with БК
Fine to very fine (lot of 4) \$ 1,000



2027



2027 Altyn ≠АΨИИ (1718). 1.01 gm. No initials, rider with mantle, Ψ with short stem. Diakov 674 (R1), Sev 323 (S), Uzd 0571. Minor graininess. Toned.
About extremely fine \$ 750



2028



2028 5 Kopecks 1725 МД. 20.12 gm. Bit 3721 - var, B 292, Diakov 8. Some porosity. Much of original mint red. Extremely fine \$ 400

Comes with James O'Byrne collectors tag (a British collector from early 1900's. His collection was sold by Christie's in early 1960's).



2029



2030



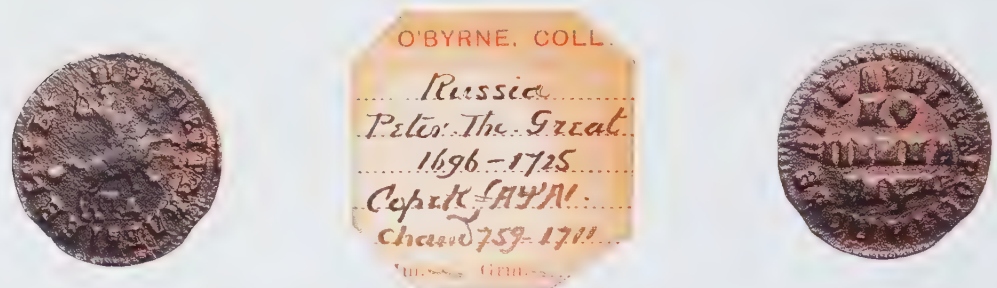
2029 Kopeck ≠АΨЕ (1705) МД. Bit 3310, B 166 (S), Uzd 2273. Some deposits. Very fine \$ 100

2030 Kopeck ≠АΨS (1706) БК. 7.89 gm. Diakov 1ff, Uzd 2279. Extremely fine \$ 250



2031

2031 Kopeck ≠АΨЗ (1707). БК. 7.79 gm. B 179, Diakov 54. Brown-red. About very fine \$ 150



2032

2032 Kopeck ≠АΨДИ МД (1714). 7.00 gm. Bit 3494, Diakov 10. Very fine \$ 150
Comes with James O'Byrne collectors tag (a British collector from early 1900's. His collection was sold by Christie's in early 1960's).



2033

2034

2033 Polushka ≠АΨЗ (1707). Naberezhny mint. 1.71 gm. Bit 2877 (R), B 29, Diakov 2, Uzd 2288. Deep olive-brown. Extremely fine \$ 300

2034 Polushka ≠АΨЗ (1707). Kadashevsky mint. 1.81 gm. Bit 3614, B 31 (S), Diakov 75, Uzd 2289. Dark olive tone. About extremely fine \$ 250



2035

to 1.5x

2035

2035 Beard Token АΨЕ (1705). Crowned eagle c/m applied when issued. Narrow beard. Bit Ж3893 (R2), B 3 (R). Rare original issue. Good very fine \$ 1,000



2036

to 1.5x

2036

2036 Jetton 1725. Silver. 21 mm. **On the Death of Peter I.** Bit Ж3887 (R1), Diakov 63.11 (R2), Reichel 1547, Sm 214. Crowned baldaquin draped over sarcophagus / Seven-line legend. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58. Toned. Choice almost uncirculated \$ 2,000

Peter the Great Medals



2037

2037 Medal. Bronze. 66 mm. By P.P. Werner. **On the Birth of Peter, May 30 1672.** Diakov 1.1, Reichel 880, Tiregal 1. Conjoined busts r. of Alexei Mikhaelovich and Natalia Narishkina, elaborately attired, signed below / Angel handing the infant Peter to Russia who sits in the clouds, Russian Arms beside her. Orange-brown. Near extremely fine

\$ 500



2038

2038 Medal. White Metal. 67 mm. Unsigned. **On the Birth of Peter, May 30 1672.** Diakov 1.1, Reichel 880, Tiregal 1. Types as last. Good lustre. About uncirculated

\$ 300



2039

2039 Medal. Bronze. 67 mm. By S. Yudin and J.G. Waechter. **On the Establishment of the Russian Fleet, 1696.** Diakov 4.3, Reichel 887. Laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Peter r. / Neptune driving a sea-chariot r. being greeted by Russia who stands on the shore before him. Light deposits, likely removable. About uncirculated

\$ 500



2040

2040

Medal. Bronze. 65 mm. By S. Yudin and J.G. Jaeger. **Battle of Poltava, 1709.** Diakov 27.10, Iversen XXIV – 3c, Sm 181. Peter, armored and mantled, on horseback l., a fallen soldier below him, city in the background, signed C.I.O.P. above ex. left / Hercules in lion's skin, club on his shoulder, trophies at his feet, map of the battle in the background, initials I.G.I. above ex. right. Attractive orange-brown highlights.

Choice extremely fine

\$ 600

Majestic Second Expedition into Finland Medal in Silver



2041

2041

Medal. Silver. 69 mm. By O. Kalashnikov. **Second Expedition of the Russian Fleet into Finland, 1713.** Diakov 43.3 (R2), Iversen XXXIX, Reichel 1224 (R3). Laureate and armored bust of Peter the Great r., initials O.K. on truncation / Three-masted warship sails past a rock on the right, three ships on the horizon. Superb and lustrous pale hematite with lovely turquoise highlights over minor friction marks.

Uncirculated

\$ 10,000



2042



2042 Medal. Bronze. 69 mm. By O. Kalashnikov. **Second Expedition of the Russian Fleet into Finland, 1713**. Diakov 43.3, Iversen XXXIX, Reichel 1224. Types as last. Characteristic diebreaks and die cracks. Pleasing light café au lait tone.

About uncirculated \$ 1,000



2043



2043 Medal. Bronze. 47.9 mm. By S. Yudin. **Landing of Russian Troops at Abo, 1713**. Diakov 44.6, Sm 198. Laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Peter r., signed C.I.O. below / Neptune, holding a trident, and Hercules, bearing a club, stepping out from shellboat drawn by sea-horses. Dark olive-brown, near black.

Uncirculated \$ 750



2044



2044 Medal. Bronze. 61 mm. Unsigned. **Naval Victory at Gangut, 1714**. Diakov 47.10A. Laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Peter the Great r. / View of the naval battle. Spot on reverse.

About uncirculated \$ 750

Catherine I, 1725-1727



2048

2048 Rouble 1725. С.П.Б. *С.П.Б. at end of obverse legend; two stars below eagle's tail. 28.76 gm. Diakov 22, Sev 723 (S), Uzd 0633. Light champagne hues. Much better than average. Choice very fine \$ 2,000



to 2x



2049



to 2x

2049 Poltina 1726 С.П.Б. 14.28 gm. Lozenges separate reverse legend. Bit 201 (R), Diakov 18, Sev 795 (R), Uzd 0649. Rare and superb for the issue. Old cabinet toning. Uncirculated \$ 5,000



2050



2050 5 Kopecks 1726 МД. 21.59 gm. Bit 252, Diakov 19, Uzd 2452. Deep brown patina, good strike. About uncirculated \$ 1,000

Peter II, 1727-1730



2051



2052



2053



2054



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| 2051 | Kopeck 1728. <i>Moscow, Kadashevsky mint.</i> 4.64 gm. <u>No bar in the 'A' in "MOCKBA", the 'C' sans serif.</u> Cf Bit 178 (R1), B 3, Diakov 3. | Good very fine | \$ 500 |
| 2052 | Kopeck 1728. <i>Moscow, Kadashevsky mint.</i> 4.27 gm. Bit 192, B 8, Diakov 11. | Extremely fine | \$ 500 |
| 2053 | Kopeck 1728. <u>Reins on both side of horse's head, single pellet on saddle, two pellets on horse's chest.</u> <i>Moscow.</i> 4.36 gm. Bit 195, B 9, Diakov 19. Deep coffee-brown. | Uncirculated / Near Uncirculated | \$ 750 |
| 2054 | Kopeck 1729. <i>Moscow, Kadashevsky mint.</i> 3.02 gm Bit 216 (R1), B 16, Diakov 7. Porous surfaces, dark olive-brown patina. | About very fine | \$ 500 |

Anna, 1730-1740



2055



2056



2057



2058



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| 2055 | Rouble 1730. <i>Moscow, Kadashevsky mint.</i> 28.97 gm. <u>Reverse eagle crowns without crosses.</u> Bit 22 (R), Diakov 26, Sev 1055 (S), Uzd 0693. Pearly gray. | About extremely fine | \$ 1,750 |
| 2056 | Rouble 1731. <i>Moscow, Kadashevsky mint.</i> 25.28 gm. Bit 40, Sev 1073, Uzd 0700. Nice old toning. | About extremely fine | \$ 700 |
| 2057 | Rouble 1732. <i>Moscow, Kadashevsky.</i> 25.98 gm. Bit 53, Sev 1096, Uzd 0703. Reverse lamination. Rich old toning over some minor surface marks. | Near extremely fine | \$ 500 |
| <i>Ex "The George Gund III Collection," Stack's, Jan. 15, 2007, New York, lot 3323, comes with auction tag</i> | | | |
| 2058 | Rouble 1732/1. <i>Moscow, Kadashevsky mint.</i> 25.47 gm. ИМПЕРАТРИЦА (the top bar missing in "П", the two top horizontal bars missing in "Е". САМОДЕРЖИЦА (the bar missing in the first "А"). Multiple engraver errors and overdate, unpublished and <i>Very rare</i> as such. Light gray. | Good very fine | \$ 750 |



to 1.5x



2059



to 1.5x

2059 Rouble 1733. *Moscow, Kadashevsky mint.* 25.52 gm. Diakov 8ff, Uzd 0706. Golden tone over full mint lustre. About uncirculated \$ 2,000



to 1.5x



2060



to 1.5x

2060 Rouble 1737. *Moscow, Red mint.* 25.68 gm. Dmitriev dies, five pearls in coiffure. .БМ—Я. Cf. Bit 199, Diakov 28—no illustration, Petrov (15 Rubl.), Sev 1264 (S), Uzd 0731. *Very rare variety missing in Bitkin and not illustrated in Diakov.* Has been wiped in past and now retoned. Very minor obverse laminations. Good extremely fine \$ 1,750



to 1.5x



2061



to 1.5x

2061 Rouble 1738. *Moscow, Red mint.* 26.05 gm. Bit 202, Uzd 0736. Rich cabinet toning over some reverse graffiti in the field. Bold portrait.

About uncirculated/extremely fine \$ 1,500



to 1.5x



2062



to 1.5x

2062 Rouble 1739. *Moscow, Red mint.* Portrait by Dmitriev. Bit 205, Sev 1300, Uzd 0745. Needle sharp obverse detail, one minor area of striking weakness on reverse. Lovely old gray toning with original mint lustre. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62.

Brilliant uncirculated \$ 4,000



2063



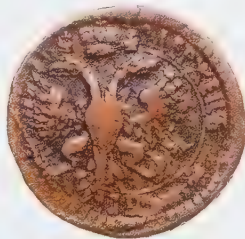
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2065



- 2063 Poltina 1732. 13.32 gm. Eagle's crown missing crosses. Bit 137 (R1), obverse as Diakov 7, reverse as Diakov 1. *Scarce*. Nice old toning over light obverse graffiti.
Good extremely fine \$ 3,000
- 2064 Poltina 1733. *Moscow, Kadashevsky mint*. 12.55 gm. Bit 153, Chizhov VIII #90, Diakov 13, Sev 1116 (S), Uzd 0708. *Scarce* and nice for the issue. Pale lilac gray, pleasing detailed profile of Anna.
Near extremely fine \$ 1,500
- 2065 Poltina 1737. *Moscow, Kadashevsky mint*. 12.34 gm. Netting on bosom. Bit 174, Diakov 5, Sev 1241, Uzd 0732. Attractive pearly gray tone, overall sharp types.
Extremely fine \$ 2,500



2066



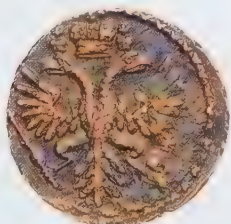
- 2066 Denga 1730. 7.83 gm. Bit 265 ff. Overstruck on Kopeck of Peter I. Much of host coin is still readable.
About very fine \$ 150



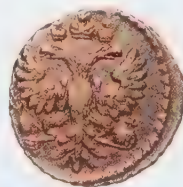
2067



- 2067 Denga 1739. *Ekaterinburg, Novodel*. 7.27 gm. Edge: 5. Bit H 371, B--, Diakov --. Bold details, abundant mint red over prooflike fields. Choice brilliant uncirculated
\$ 1,000
Ex Fritz Rudolf Künker sale, Osnabrück, 25-27 Sept. 2006, lot 1372 (with auction envelope)



2068



- 2068 Pair of coins: Denga 1731; Polushka 1730. Bit 272ff, 298ff. Good extremely fine \$ 150



to 3x



2069



2069



2069

PATTERN 2 Kopecks 1740 СПб. Edge 5. B 35 (RRR), Diakov 1, GM 238, pl.14.14 (RRR), Ilyin (150 Rubl.), Uzd 2507 (RRR). Draped bust of Anna I., mint initials below; titles around / Imperial eagle, date above, value "2-KO" flanking eagle's tail and in full in legend around. Struck over cruciform 5 Kopecks. *A specimen in Very fine recently sold for 3,600,000 Roubles (approx.\$120,000). This example authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62 Brown – Photo Grade, not slab. Sharp strike with glossy brown mint lustre. Probably one of the finest known and Excessively rare.*

Brilliant uncirculated \$ 250,000

Medals of Anna



2070

- 2070 Medal. Silver. 61.3 mm. Original by A. Schultz and L. Dmitriev. **On the Coronation of Anna Ioanovna, 1730.** Diakov 69.1 (R3), Reichel 1688 (R3), Sm--. Crowned and mantled bust of Anna r., S.F. (Schultz. Fecit) below truncation / Anna standing, accepting the scepter and orb of the State from Faith and Fortune, while being crowned by the Venus, initials L.D. below ground line. Date in exergue double struck. Edge bruising with some resultant warping. Ugly but *Very rare.* Very fine \$ 2,500



2071

- 2071 Medal. Bronze. 65 mm. By Timofey Ivanov and S. Yudin. **Glory of Empress Anna, nd (1736).** Cf Diakov 73.4 (Gass reverse). Crowned and mantled bust of Anna r. / Minerva seated on a cloud, holding a spear and shield, symbols of the Arts and Sciences on the ground. Reverse diecrack. About uncirculated \$ 600

Ivan III, 1741



2072



2073



2072



- 2072 Rouble 1741 СПб. Bit 30 (R1), Diakov 13, Sev 1373 (R), Uzd 0757 (R). Authenticated and graded by NGC VF 25. Very fine \$ 3,000
- 2073 Poltina 1741 ММД. Bit 7 (R1), Diakov 2, Ilyin (40 Rubl.), Sev 1352 (R), Uzd 0765 (RR). *Rare Moscow mint Poltina.* Authenticated and graded by NGC VF 35. Good very fine \$ 4,000

Elizabeth, 1741-1761



2074 Rouble 1741 СПб. 25.5 gm. Bit 242 (R1), Diakov 6 (R1), Petrov (15 Rubl.), Sev 1384 (S), Uzd 0761. Struck over a Rouble of Ivan III. Light steely-gray, a lovely example and quite *Rare*. Choice about uncirculated \$ 5,000



2075 Rouble 1742 ММД. 25.39 gm. Edge not regular spelling for neither Ivan, or Elizabeth's Roubles – ww МОСКОВСКОГО ww МЕТНОГО www ДВОРА. Bit 107 (R1). Unlisted in other references. Light slate gray with pearly highlights. *Very rare*. Good very fine / Extremely fine \$ 2,500

After Elizabeth removed Ivan III from power, she withdrew his coinage and had them recoined in 1741, 1742 and 1743. The coin here though, is clearly not overstruck. The reverse eagle on this coin is unique to the Roubles of Elizabeth and is similar to the reverse eagle of Ivan - apparently the eagle used on the master hub of the Ivan III Rouble (Diakov 3). While Bitkin records this type no explanation was offered. Prior to now, there has been no examination, nor discussion of minting technology of the time. In this cataloger's opinion, the eagle hub for the reverse die of Ivan's Roubles were kept and reused at the Moscow mint for a limited period.



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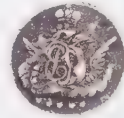
- 2076 Rouble 1749 ММД. Bit 121, Sev 1543, Uzd 0821. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 62+. Bold portrait with full, original mint lustre. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 4,000
- 2077 Rouble 1754 СПБ-ЯІ. 26.16 gm. Portrait by B. Scott. Bit 274, Sev 1627, Uzd 0860. Attractive light toning with good lustre. Near extremely fine \$ 1,000
- 2078 Rouble 1755 СПБ-ЯІ. Portrait by B. Scott. 25.50 gm. Bit 276, Sev 1653, Uzd 0873. Extremely fine \$ 1,000



2080



2079



2081



- 2079 Polupoltinnik 1756 ММД-МБ. 5.78 gm. Bit 177, Sev 1662 (S), Uzd 0886. Rich cabinet toning over old scratch left obverse field. Extremely fine \$ 600
- 2080 5 Kopecks 1757 СПБ. Bit 342, Sev 1677, Uzd 0898. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64. Sharp strike with full original mint bloom. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,500
- 2081 5 Kopecks 1758 СПБ. 1.29 gm. Bit 343, Sev 1692, Uzd 0906. Rich charcoal-gray. Choice extremely fine \$ 400



2082



- 2082 5 Kopecks 1760. *Ekaterinburg.* 55.21 gm. Bit 440, B 126, Uzd 2602. Deep olive-green. Much better than average. Choice extremely fine \$ 300



2083

- 2083 1 Kopeck 1757/6. 21.03 gm. Bit 423 (R), B 56 (S), Uzd 2576. Lettered edge. Very fine \$ 500

Pair of Russo-Swedish Recoinage



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- 2084 1 Kopeck 1758. 7.61gm. Overstruck on a Swedish 1 Öre. Brekke/Bakken (Supplement) p. 101; B 82A. The "OR" of the host coin's "1 OR" and part of its crossed arrows are clear on the reverse. *Very rare*, especially with this much of the under-type visible. Good fine \$ 2,000
- 2085 Kopeck 1758. Struck over a Swedish 1 Öre. 10.94 gm. Brekke/Bakken Supplement 1997, p.101. *Rare*. Crude. Fine \$ 1,000

East Prussian Coinage



2086

2087

- 2086 6 Grosh 1759. *Königsberg*. 2.49 gm. Bit 707 (R), Uzd 4871. Very fine \$ 400
- 2087 3 Grosh 1761. *Moscow*. 1.59 gm. Cross of the eagle's crown points to the first leg of "N" in "ARGNTEA". Olding 457a, Bit 813 (R), Diakov 754, Sev 1842, Uzd 4899. Good lustre, toned pearly white-gray. About uncirculated \$ 900

Jettons



2088

- 2088 Jetton. 1742. Silver. 22 mm. 2.66 gm. **To Commemorate the Coronation of Empress Elizabeth**. Bit Ж830 (R), Diakov 86.11, Rudenko 1742.4 (R2), Sm 229, Sokolov 211.1 (R2). Imperial crown basking in Heavens' rays, legend around / Seven-line legend. Pale lavender-gray. Uncirculated \$ 600

Medals of Elizabeth



2089

- 2089 Medal. Bronze. 65 mm. By Timofey Ivanov and J.G. Waechter. **Liberation of Prisoners, 1741.** Diakov 85.2, Reichel 1885. Crowned and mantled Elizabeth bust r. / Mercy, holding a palm frond, removes the shackles from three prisoners seated on the ground before a prison. Rich birch-brown. About uncirculated \$ 500



2090

- 2090 Medal. Bronze. 60 mm. By S. Yudin and V. Klimov. **On the Coronation of Elizabeth, 1742.** Diakov 86.4. Crowned and mantled bust of Elizabeth r. / Angel atop clouds crowns Elizabeth, a woman kneels beside her, holding a shield with the Russian Arms and a flaring heart; monograms of Peter I and Elizabeth on the bases of columns behind. Light mahogany-brown. Choice about uncirculated \$ 500



2091

- 2091 Medal. Bronze. 65 mm. By Timofey Ivanov. **Cessation of the Land Border Disputes, 1754.** Diakov 99.2. Crowned and mantled bust of Elizabeth r. / Justice, holding a linear measure, kicks the rump of Discord who lies on the ground before her, a tapered monument behind, two peasants measuring land open to dispute to the left. Uneven patina, minor reverse speckling. About uncirculated \$ 500

Peter III, 1762



to 2x



2092

2092 Rouble 1762 СПб. 25.10 gm. Novodel. Portrait by S. Yudin. Bit H43(R2), Diakov N14 (R2), Ilyin (25 Rubl.), Sev 1887 (RR), Uzd 0929 (RR). *Very rare*. Typical evidence of reverse die rust. Pale purple-gray. Good extremely fine \$ 15,000



2093

2093 Rouble 1762 СПб-НК. 23.97 gm. Edge 4 - lettered edge. Obverse legend ends with period. Bit 12 I, Diakov 6 (R2), Petrov (10 Rubl.), Petrunin I.55 (R2), Sev 1881 I. Uzd 0925 I. *Very rare*. Light gray. Very fine \$ 3,000



2094

2094 10 Kopecks 1762. No periods in date. 55.95 gm. Bit 14 (R) B 15, Diakov 28 (R1).
Deep burgundy-brown. Extremely very fine or better \$ 1,250



2095

2095 10 Kopecks 1762. Date .1762. 59.33 gm. Bit 17 (R), B 16 (R), Diakov 30 (R1).
Some surface porosity. Near Extremely fine \$ 1,250



2096

2096 10 Kopecks 1762. Overstruck on a 5 Kopecks of Elizabeth. Date .1762. 47.64 gm.
Bit 17 (R), B 16 (R), Diakov 30 (R1). Parts of the host coin's obverse banner and
reverse cipher are clearly seen. Crude. Fine \$ 1,000



2097



2098

2097 4 Kopecks 1762. No periods in date. 21.68 gm. Bit 21, B 9, Diakov 36.
Good very fine \$ 400

2098 4 Kopecks 1762. Date 17.62. 17.52 gm. Bit 22, B 11, Diakov 35. Small amount of
the host 2 Kopeck coin's cipher visible. Very fine \$ 400



- 2099 4 Kopecks 1762. Date: 1762. Value: 4., small "62". 18.46 gm. Bit 28, Diakov 33var, B 10. Overstruck on a 2 Kopecks of Elizabeth, with the host coin's obverse banner clear on the obverse and part of its reverse wreath visible on the reverse. About very fine \$ 400
- 2100 2 Kopecks 1762. Value: КОПЕНКН. 9.28 gm. Bit 35 (R), B 8, Diakov 38 (R1). Part of the host 1 Kopeck coin's reverse wreath visible on obverse. Even wear, natural edge clip. Good fine \$ 600

Catherine II the Great, 1762-1796



- 2101 Pair of Roubles 1762 СПБ-НК; 1764 СПБ-ЯИ. Bit 182, 185; Sev 1899, 1937. The first toned About very fine; the latter Fine with some pinscratches (lot of 2, only one is illustrated) \$ 400

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- 2102 Rouble 1763 СПБ-ТИ-ЯИ. Bit 184, Sev 1917, Uzd 0945. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63. Well struck with virtually problem free surfaces and full original mint lustre. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 2,000



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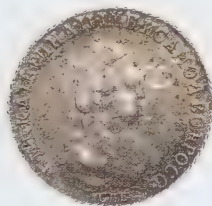
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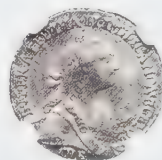
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- 2103 Rouble 1765 СПБ-ПІ-ЯІ. Bit 187, Sev, 1960, Uzd 0967. Authenticated and graded by PCGS AU 55. Semi-reflective surfaces, bright white lustre. About uncirculated \$ 1,000
- 2104 Rouble 1774 СПБ-ПІ-ΘΛ. 24.62 gm. Bit 218, Sev 2092, Uzd 1057. Trivial obverse lamination, minor weakness at centers. Pale silver-gray over some lustre. Good extremely fine \$ 1,000
- Ex "The George Gund III Collection," Stack's, Jan. 15, 2007, New York, lot 3362, comes with auction tag*
- 2105 Rouble 1780 СПБ-ИЗ. Bit 228, Sev 2155, Uzd 1104. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58. Lustrous with steel-gray toning. Choice almost uncirculated \$ 1,500



2106



2107



- 2106 Polupoltinnik 1794 СПБ-АК. Bit 358, Sev 2326, Uzd 1237. Authenticated and graded by PCGS AU 55. Deeply tone with underlying lustre. About uncirculated \$ 1,200
- 2107 Grivennik 1769 СПБ. Bit 474, Sev 2021, Uzd 1027. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 50. About uncirculated \$ 400



2108



to 1.5x



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- 2108 5 Kopecks 1774/3 EM. 42.12 gm. Eagle of 1763-1767 pattern. Bit 623 (R2). *Very rare* and one of the best known. About uncirculated \$ 3,000



2109



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2109 Lot of 5 Kopecks: 1770, 1783, 1788, 1790, 1792 EM. Bit 619, 634, 642, 644, 646. (lot of 5, only 4 coins are illustrated) Average Extremely Fine \$ 250



2110



2111



2110 5 Kopecks 1766 ЦИМ. 47.31 gm. Overstruck on Peter III 1762 10 Kopecks Bit 570, B 216, Uzd 2676. Good very fine \$ 150

2111 5 Kopecks 1788 ЦИМ. Overstruck on 1762 Peter III 10 Kopecks. 54.34 gm. Bit 572 (R1), B 273, Uzd 2789. Parts of host coin clear on obverse and reverse. Extremely fine \$ 500



2112



2112 5 Kopecks 1791 AM. 47.67 gm. Bit 861, B 291, Uzd 2841. Attractive birch brown Uncirculated \$ 100



2113



2115



2114



- 2113 5 Kopecks 1787 TM. *Tauric mint*. 52.15 gm. Mmk smaller. Bit 854 (R1), B 266 (R), Uzd 2781 (R). *Rare*. Irregular edge. Very fine \$ 500
- 2114 5 Kopecks 1787 TM. *Tauric mint*. 49.56 gm. Bit 854 (R1), B 265 (R), Uzd 2781 (R). Surface pitting and file marks, minor flan flaws. About extremely fine \$ 500
- 2115 2 Kopecks 1788 TM. *Tauric mint*. 21.27 gm. Edge: 5. Bit 858 (R2), B 174 (RR), Uzd 2800 (R). Dark brown. Fine/Very fine \$ 2,500



2116 (lot of 8)



- 2116 Lot of 8 Copper Coins: 5 Kopecks 1785, 1788, 1792, 1794, 1795 – KM. Bit 789. NGC AU 55 Brown, Bit 797 (R). NGC AU 53 Brown, Bit 806. NGC AU 58 Brown, Bit 810. NGC AU 53 Brown, Bit 812. NGC AU 55 Brown. Siberia: 10 Kopecks 1780 KM. Bit 1044. EF, 5 Kopecks 1777 KM. Bit 1080. EF, 1 Kopeck 1772 KM. Bit 1144. NGC VF 35 Brown. A lot of great potential. (lot of 8, only 1 coin is illustrated) Choice very fine to Almost uncirculated \$ 2,500



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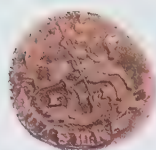


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- 2117 2 Kopecks 1793 EM. Bit 685 (R4). Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 62 BN. *Extremely rare*, only a few known and this is the best example. Brown. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 2,500



2118



2119



- 2118 Polushka 1788. Novodel. 2.59 gm. Bit H561 (R2), B 29 (R), Uzd 2808 (S). Much About uncirculated \$ 900
 2119 Polushka 1789 EM. 1.73 gm. Bit 759, B 31, Uzd 2821. Choice extremely fine \$ 150

Extremely Rare Cipher Issue



to 2x



2120



to 2x

- 2120 2 Kopecks 1796. *Cipher series*. 8.96 gm. Edge 5. Bit 932 (R3), B 17 (RRR), GM 670 (this dies), Petrov (50 Rubl.), Ilyin (50 Rubl.). *Extremely rare original strike*
 Good extremely fine \$ 25,000



to 1.5x



2121



to 1.5x

- 2121 Recoinage by Paul (1797). 5 Kopecks 1793/5 EM. Edge-1. Bit 178 (R3), B 16 (RRR), Diakov 800 (R4), Uzd 2890 (RR). *Extremely well preserved for the type. Among the best known specimens. Extremely rare*
 Extremely fine \$ 6,000



2122

2122 Recoinage by Paul (1797). 2 Kopecks 1793/6 EM. Bit 105, Bit B 4 (S), Uzd 2864. Rare. Medium brown. Very fine \$ 250

Siberian Coinage



2123



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2125



2123	10 Kopecks 1774 KM. 66.66 gm. Bit 1031, B 515, Uzd 4310. Deep birch brown.	Uncirculated	\$ 750
2124	10 Kopecks 1775 KM. 64.16 gm. Bit 1033, B 517, Uzd 4316. Dark olive-brown, near black.	Uncirculated	\$ 750
2125	10 Kopecks 1779 KM. 73.98 gm. Bit 1042, B 527, Uzd 4340. Dark olive-brown, near black.	Uncirculated	\$ 750



2126



2126 10 Kopecks 1779 KM. 55.82 gm. Bit 1042, B 527, Uzd 4340. Obverse die shift. Attractively toned. Uncirculated \$ 400



to 2x

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2127 5 Kopecks 1766. 32.82 gm. Bit 1055 (R2), B 455 (RR), Ilyin (10 Rubl.), Petrov (15 Rubl.), Uzd 4254 (R). Crude flan and some planchet imperfections. Very fine \$ 1,500



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2128 5 Kopecks 1767. 34.66 gm. Bit 1059, B 459 (R), Uzd 4267. Good extremely fine \$ 500
 2129 5 Kopecks 1771 KM. 37.33 gm. Bit 1068, B 468, Uzd 4293. About extremely fine \$ 200
 2130 Kopeck 1772 KM. 5.26 gm. Bit 1144, B 398, Uzd 4301. Double-striking lower obverse legend. Olive-brown. Choice extremely fine \$ 100

Moldova & Wallachia Issues



2131

2131 Pattern 3 Dengas 1771 S. 11.68 gm. Bit 1267 (R1). Corroded surfaces. Fine \$ 750

Jettons



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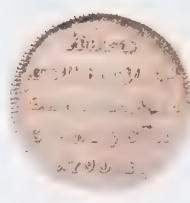
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- 2132 Jetton. 1782. Silver. 6.15 gm. Bit Ж1383. **Completion of the Peter the Great Monument in St. Petersburg.** Laureate Catherine head l. / the Monument. Deeply toned. About uncirculated \$500
- 2133 Jetton . Silver. 4.2 gm. **To Commemorate Peace with Sweden 1790.** Bit Ж1391 (R), Rudenko 1790-1 (R1). Olive branch within laurel wreath / Five-line legend, dot above letter 'T'. Light steely gray. Extremely fine \$ 400
- 2134 Jetton . Silver. 4.06 gm. **To Commemorate Peace with Sweden 1790.** Bit Ж1391 (R), Rudenko 1790-3 (R1). Olive branch within laurel wreath / Five-line legend, no dot above letter 'T'. Pale lavender gray. Very fine \$ 350
- 2135 Jetton 1791. Silver. 4.12 gm. 25 mm. **Peace with Turkey.** Novodel. Bit Ж1398 (R), cf. Diakov 225.9 (R1), Sm 321. Crowned Catherine II ciphers within wreath / Four-line legend. Smooth edge, struck in collar. *Rare.* Light gray. About uncirculated \$ 750



2136



- 2136 Medal. Bronze. 28.7 mm. By C.H. Kuchler. **On the Death of Empress Catherine II, 1796.** Diakov 238.1 (R1), Reichel 2942. Crowned and draped bust of the Empress r. / Imperial eagle. Orange caramel-brown. Uncirculated \$ 750

Medals of Catherine II



2137



- 2137 Medal. Gilt Bronze, "Fire-Gold". 51.7 mm. By J.G. Waechter. **In Honor of Count Alexey Bestuzhev-Riumin, 1762.** Diakov 111.1, Reichel 4461. Bewigged and Mantled bust of the Count l. wearing Order, four-line inscription below with engraver's initials / Two rocky promontories in the sea, one receiving the sun's rays, the other struck by lightning. Some friction hairlines in the field. Uncirculated \$ 650



2138

2138 Medal. Bronze. 64 mm. By Timofey Ivanov. **Establishment of Real Coins, 1763.** Diakov 121.1, Reichel 2257, Sm--. Crowned and mantled bust of Catherine the Great r. / Money press, eagle, holding a scepter and orb in its talons, and Radiant All-Seeing Eye above. Popular Numismatics-related medal. Minor spotting.

About uncirculated

\$ 750



2139

2139 Medal. Bronze. 64 mm. By Timofey Ivanov. **On the Introduction of Smallpox Vaccination to Russia, 1768.** Diakov 138.1, Reichel 2385, Sm 261. Crowned and mantled bust of Catherine the Great r., signed below / Catherine holding the hand of young Paul, Russia and two young children before her, a dead dragon before a classical-style building in the background. Minor spots. Chestnut-brown.

About uncirculated

\$ 500



2140

2140 Medal. Bronze. 64 mm. By Timofey Ivanov. **On the Introduction of Smallpox Vaccination to Russia, 1768.** Diakov 138.1, Reichel 2385, Sm 261. Types as last. Light reverse speckling.

About uncirculated

\$ 500



2141



2141

Medal. Bronze. 91 mm. By J.B. Gass. **Count Alexey Grigorievich Orlov, Award Medal of the Admiralty Collegium, 1770.** Diakov 153.1 (R1), Reichel 4469, Sm-, Tiregal 107. Uniformed and helmeted, half-length bust of the Count r., head facing, holding staff / Detailed map of Chesmé Bay showing the Russian and Turkish fleets arrayed in battle positions, Spalmatore Island lower right, at lower left, tiny Cherub blows the wind right. Some tiny edge bruises and dark areas.

Very fine

\$ 1,000





2142 (lot of 61)

2142 Complete set of Medals of Russia's Historical Rulers as commissioned by Catherine the Great in the 1770's, with additional post-Catherine medals. Bronze, 38.3-39 mm. Medal numbers 1 to 60; Grand Duke Rurik to Emperor Paul I (with two different numbers 12 – a result of contemporary miscommunication by the series medalists). The Peter III, Catherine and Paul I medals, which were commissioned later, are much scarcer than the earlier pieces. A lovely set (lot of 61).

Choice about uncirculated to uncirculated, \$ 12,500



2143

2143 Medal. Bronze. 65 mm. By J.B. Gass. **On the Birth of Grand Duke Alexander Pavlovich, 1777.** Diakov 176.1 (R1) – obverse; 176.2 (R1) –reverse. Crowned, laureate Catherine bust r., signed I.B. GASS. F. below / Russia holding infant (the future Alexander I) in her arms, points to a beam of light coming from the heavens, lit altar and Russian Arms before them, no initials. Good extremely fine

\$ 400



2144

2144 Medal. Bronze. 65 mm. By C. Leberecht and J.B. Gass. **On the Birth of Grand Duke Constantin Pavlovich, 1779.** Diakov 177.2 (R1), Sm 284. Crowned, laureate Catherine bust r., signed below / Faith, Hope and Love, holding the newborn child stand beneath the radiant sky, Church of St. Sofia in Constantinople in the background, signed GASS above ex. right. Minor surface tics. Extremely fine

\$ 500



2145

2145 Medal. Bronze. 65 mm. By C. Leberecht and J.G. Waechter. **Migration of Christians from the the Crimea to Russia, 1779.** Diakov 178.1 (R1), Sm 285. Crowned and mantled Catherine bust r., signed below / Hope, cross on her shoulder, offers an olive branch to two Christians kneeling before her, in the background, people exit a Turkish fortress on the left, a Russian fortress has its gates open on the right. Good extremely fine

\$ 500



2146

2146 Medal. Bronze. 65 mm. By C. Leberecht and J.G. Waechter. **The Migration of Christians from the Crimea to Russia, 1779.** Diakov 178.1 (R1), Reichel 2618, Sm 285. Crowned and draped bust of Catherine the Great r. / Hope, a cross on her shoulder, before two kneeling Christians holding olive branches; a fortress with the Russian flag and a Turkish fortress with a crowd of people exiting its gates in the background. Minor obverse spotting.

About uncirculated

\$ 500



2147

2147 Medal. Bronze. 66 mm. By T. Ivanov. **On the Annexation of the Crimea and Taman to Russia, 1783.** Diakov 196.4 (R1), Reichel 2685. Crowned and mantled bust r., signed below / Map of the Crimea and Kuban. Lovely and lustrous birch-brown. Friction marks before bust, otherwise Uncirculated

\$ 750



2148 to 0.75x

2148 Medal. Bronze. 79 mm. By C. Leberecht. **On the Death of Admiral S.C. Griegh, 1788.** Diakov 213.1 (R2), Reichel 4485. Admiral's bust l., his shoulders draped by a flag, signed below / Crowned Russia affixes an Order to an inscribed obelisk, which is surmounted by a ship model, banners and an eagle, Turkish and Swedish trophies on the ground. A few trivial marks in the field and some small dark areas. Café au lait tone.

About uncirculated

\$ 750

Paul, 1796-1801

Paul Medals

Exiting Pair of Rouble-size medals

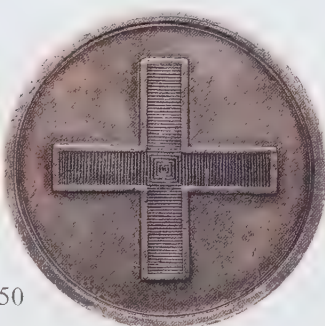


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2149

- 2149 Medal. GOLD. 38.7 mm. 32.5 gm. By C. Meisner. **On the Coronation of Paul, 1797**. Bit M226 (R3), cf. Diakov 243.9, Reichel 2963 (neither lists in Gold). Peruked and uniformed bust of Paul r., signed C.M.F. below / Broad, shaded cross in field. *Extremely rare*. Some contact marks. Extremely fine \$ 30,000



2150



2151

- 2150 Medal. Silver, 38.7. By C. Meisner. **On the Coronation of Paul, 1797**. Bit M227 (R), Diakov 243.9 (R1), Reichel 2963 (R1), Sm listed under 328/c. Types as above. Lavender-gray with an attractive, soft turquoise undertone over some friction hairlines. About uncirculated \$ 1,500
- 2151 Medal. Gilt Bronze. 51.3 mm. By C. Leberecht. **Coronation of Paul, 1797**. Diakov 243.3, Sm listed under 328/b. Peruked and uniformed bust of Paul r., signed "C.L.F." below / Broad, shaded cross in plain field. *Rare*. Contact marks. Extremely fine \$ 750



to 2x



2152



to 2x

2152 5 Kopecks 1798 CM-MB. Bit 88, Sev 2407, Uzd 1291. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 63. Well-struck and fully lustrous. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,500



2153



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2153 2 Kopecks 1797. Uncertain mint. 20.40 gm. No dot after "2". Bit 192 (R), B 68, Uzd 2940. Minor flan flaws. About uncirculated \$ 400

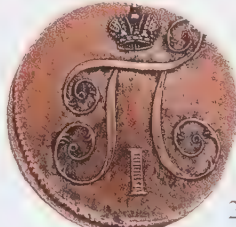
2154 2 Kopecks 1798 KM. 20.43 gm. Bit 143, B 72, Uzd 2958. Uncirculated \$ 200

2155 2 Kopecks 1799 KM. 21.31 gm. Bit 145, B 76, Uzd 2971. About uncirculated \$ 200

2156 2 Kopecks 1800 KM. 21.57 gm. Bit 147, B 81, Uzd 2983. About uncirculated \$ 200



2157



2158



2157 1 Kopeck 1798 KM. Bit 153 (R1), B 49 (R), Uzd 2958. *Rare*. Authenticated and graded by PCGS SP 63 RB. Red and brown Brilliant Specimen strike. Choice uncirculated \$ 500

2158 1 Kopeck 1800 EM. 10.69 gm. gm. Bit 124, B 56, Uzd 2985. Deep tan-brown. About uncirculated \$ 100

Alexander I, 1801-1825



to 3x



2159

- 2159 5 Roubels 1804 СПБ-ХЛ. GOLD. 5.99 gm. Bit 14 (R1), Ilyin (25 Rubl.), Petrov (40 Rubl). *Very rare* and seldom offered on a market. Minor flaws. Much mint lustre. Extremely fine or beter \$ 125,000



2160

- 2160 5 Roubles 1824 СПБ-ПС. GOLD. Bit 23, Sev 393, Uzd 0198 (S). Authenticated and graded by NGC AU Details - Obv. Scratched. Scratch lower left obverse field. About uncirculated \$ 2,000



2161

- 2161 PATTERN Rouble 1804. Struck in Copper. Plain edge. By C.H. Kuchler for Matthew Boulton's Soho Mint, Birmingham. Bit Ж925 (R1), Diakov 293.1 (R1), Sev 2552 (R), Pollard 29, BDM VI, 396 - illust. Uniformed bust of the Emperor right; ALEXANDER I. D.G. IMP.AVTOCR.RVSSOR., signed below: C. H. KÜCHLER.Fc. / Shaded cross, date below. Magnificent vermillion and orange hues. Brilliant Uncirculated \$ 1,000



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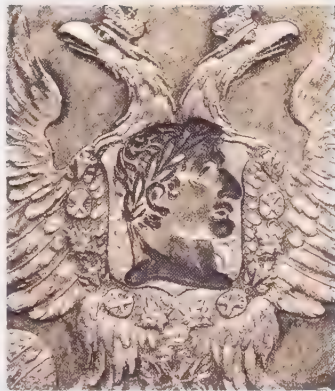
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2162 Pattern Rouble 1810. Bit H684 (R1), Sev 2605 (RR). Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 62. Lavender/lilac-gray, reverse iridescent hues. Brilliant PROOF \$ 40,000



2163



Detail to 2.5x



2163

2163 Rouble 1811 СПб-ФГ. Counterstamped obverse center (covering the shield) with the laureate bust of Napoleon left. Cf. Bit 99 (R), Sev 2626, Uzd 1395. The Napoleon counterstamp is of fine style and of the period. A fascinating piece in need of further research. Superb old cabinet toning -- steel slate gray with soft iridescent hues Choice uncirculated \$ 2,500



2164



2165



- 2164 Rouble 1814 СПБ-ПС. Bit 108, Sev 2679, Uzd 1411. Some reverse edge nicks. Steely pearl-gray with amber and tungsten-blue highlights. About uncirculated \$ 400
- 2165 Rouble 1818 СПБ-ПС. Bit 123, Dav 281, Uzd 1444. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 62. Well-struck example with full mint lustre. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 2,000



to 3x



2166



- 2166 Poltina 1822 СПБ-ПД. Bit 175 (R), Sev 2823 (S), Uzd 1473. *Very rare*. Squared-off edges and bold devices. Lilac-gray and silver-white with tungsten-blue iridescent hues over lustrous, mirrorlike fields. Brilliant PROOF \$ 10,000



to 2x



2167



to 2x

- 2167 5 Kopecks 1813 СПБ-ПС. Bit 256, Sev. 2645, Uzd 1410. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 66. Beautifully toned and sharply struck. Gem brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,500



2168



2169



2170



2171



- 2168 5 Kopecks 1803 EM. 49.61 gm. Bit 287, B 112, Uzd 3029. Old obverse scrape, reverse flan flaw. Extremely fine \$ 200
- 2169 5 Kopecks 1804 EM. Eagle of 1802 pattern, reverse of 1803-6. Bit 289 (R1), B 115 (R), Ilyin (10 Rubl.), Petrov (10 Rubl.), Uzd 3037 (S). Minor reverse flan flaws. *Rare.* Very fine \$ 600
- 2170 5 Kopecks 1805 EM. Bit 292, B 120, Uzd 3049. Deep olive-brown. Choice about uncirculated \$ 250
- 2171 5 Kopecks 1806 EM. Bit 293, B 123, Uzd 3058. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58. Deep toffee brown. Choice about uncirculated \$ 125



2172



2173



2174



- 2172 5 Kopecks 1806 KM. Bit 419 (R), B 124 (S), Uzd 3059. Uncirculated \$ 400
- 2173 5 Kopecks 1806 KM. Bit 419 (R), B 124 (S), Uzd 3059. Reverse pinscratches. Dark brown. Extremely fine \$ 250
- 2174 5 Kopecks 1809 KM. Bit 425 (R1), B 135 (R), Uzd 3082. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62 Brown. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,300



2175

- 2175 2 Kopecks 1802 EM. Bit 307, B 74, Uzd 3006. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62 Brown. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,250



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- 2176 Denga 1811 СПб-МК. This coin could be a regular strike as Bit 595, B 156 or a Novodel – as Bit H596 (R2), B 157 (RRR). Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64 Red-Brown. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,000
- 2177 Denga 1817 KM-AM. Novodel. Bit H566 (R2), unlisted in Brekke and Uzdenikov as a Novodel. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 65 RB. *Very rare.* Splendid claret and burnt-orange hues. Very choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,500
- 2178 1 Polushka 1802 EM. Novodel. Bit H341 (R2), B 6 (R), Uzd 3023 (R). Birch brown. Choice uncirculated \$ 900

Russo-Polish Coinage



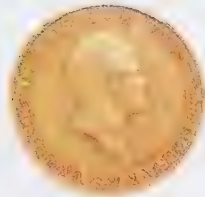
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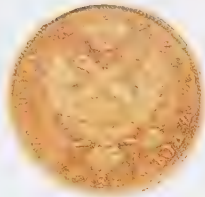
- 2179 50 Zlotych, 1818-IB. GOLD. Bit 805 (R), HCz- 3526; Fr-105; KM-C103, Petrov (25 Rubl.). Oblique milling. Authenticated and graded by PCGS AU 53. About uncirculated \$ 6,000



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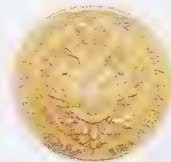


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2180 50 Zlotych, 1819-IB. GOLD. Small head variety. Straight milling. Bit 807 (R), Fr-107; KM-C103a, Petrov (30 Roubl.). Oblique milling. Authenticated and graded by PCGS AU 53. About uncirculated \$ 6,000



2181



2181 25 Zlotych, 1817-IB. GOLD. Bit 817 (R), Fr-106; H-Cz-3511; KM-C102, Petrov (10 Rubl.). Authenticated and graded by PCGS EF 45. Choice extremely fine \$ 3,000

Alexander I Medals



2182



2182 Medal. Silver. 51 mm. By C. Leberecht. **Foundation of the St. Petersburg Bourse, 1805.** Diakov 297.1 (R2), Reichel 3112 (R1), Sm 347. Uniformed bust of Alexander I., signed by the engraver below / View of the Bourse building between two lighthouses, before: ships pass on the Neva River. Holed at 12:00, some contact marks. About extremely fine \$ 1,000



2183



2183 Medal. Bronze. 49 mm. By J.P. Droz. **In Memory of the Escape of Prince A.B. Kurakin from Fire, 1810.** Diakov 337.1 (R2), Reichel 4496, Sm--. Uniformed bust l. of Prince Alexander Borisovich Kurakin, wearing Orders, signed I.P. DROZ. F. below / Eight-line Latin legend within wreath of olive and oak branches. Rare. Soft iridescent highlights. Good extremely fine \$ 600

Alexander I Rouble-Six Set



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2184

- 2184 Medal. GOLD. 34.9 mm. 28.26 gm. By T. Wyon. **On the Visit of Grand Duchess Catherine Pavlovna to England, 1814.** Diakov 383.1 (R3), Iversen *Rare Medals* 74, Reichel 3291. Laureate head of Alexander I r., signed T.WYON : S on truncation / Britannia seated l. holding a trident and laurel branches, shield resting by her side. *Very rare.* Some friction hairlines in fields. About uncirculated \$ 25,000



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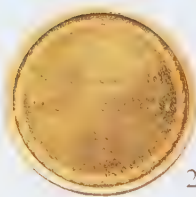


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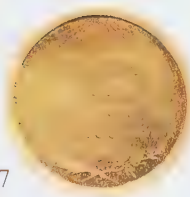
- 2185 Medal. Gilt Bronze. 35 mm. By T. Wyon. **On the Visit of Grand Duchess Catherine Pavlovna to England, 1814.** Diakov 383.1 (R1), Iversen *Rare Medals* 74, Reichel 3291. Types as above. Reverse diebreaks. Lustrous. Uncirculated \$ 1,000
- 2186 Medal. Bronze. 34.9 mm. By T. Wyon. **On the Visit of Alexander I to the London Mint, 1814.** Diakov 382.1 (R1), Iversen *Rare Medals* 73, Sm--, BHM 846, Slg Julius 3039. Laureate Alexander I head r., signed T.WYON: S. on truncation / Five-line legend, G.P.R. in spray above, Union Jack on round shield in spray below. Coffee-brown with orange-brown highlights. Uncirculated \$ 1,000



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2187



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- 2187 Medal. GOLD. 23 mm. 9.11 gm. Unsigned. **On the Visit of Alexander I to Utrecht, 1814**. Bramsen 1433, Diakov 381.1 (R2). ALEXANDRO PACIFICATORIS. in three lines / TRAJECTI AD RHENUM MDCCCXIV. in four lines, sun's rays above, spray below. *Extremely rare*. Slight edge bend, and some friction hairlines, lustrous. About uncirculated \$ 6,000

Ex The New York Sale XII, Jan. 12, 2006, New York, lot 1427



2188



- 2188 Medal. Silver. 28.5 mm. 8.97 gm. By Loos. **In Honor of Fieldmarshal, Count M.B. Barclay de Tolly, n.d. (ca. 1815)**. Bramsen 1731. Bare head l. of the Fieldmarshal within a wreath, signed LOOS below / Crowned and mantled Arms. *Rare*. Steely lavender-gray over some light friction marks in lustrous fields. Extremely fine-about uncirculated \$ 750



2189 reduced to 66%

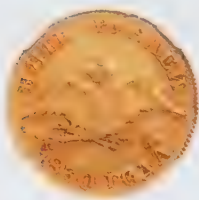


- 2189 Medal. Copper. 135 mm. By P. Pistrucci. **Allied Victory at Waterloo, 1815**. Electrotype (originally intended as a struck medal, the electrotype was completed in the late 1840s due to the technical difficulties of production). BHM 870, Eimer 1067. Conjoined laureate busts of the four Allied sovereigns left: George IV, Prince Regent of Great Britain, Franz II of Austria, Alexander I and Frederick Wilhelm III of Prussia. Above them, Apollo drives a quadriga; allegorical and mythological border / Victory guides the equestrian figures of Wellington and Blucher l., Jupiter in quadriga above striking down figures around representing battle of the giants. *Rare*. A large and impressive medal for this historic event. Extremely fine \$ 3,500

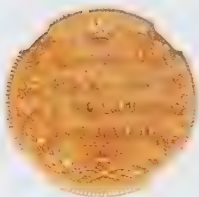
Nicholas I, 1825-1855



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2190



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2190 5 Roubles 1830 СПБ-ПД. GOLD. Bit 5, Sev 407, Uzd 0205 (S). Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 50. Orange highlights. About uncirculated \$ 2,500



2191



2191 Rouble 1830 СПБ-НГ. Long ribbons. Bit 109, Sev 2964, Uzd 1531. Pale violet-gray with russet highlights. Good very fine/about very fine \$ 300



2192



2192 **Alexander I Commemorative** Rouble 1834. By H. Gube. Bit 837, Sev 3061, Uzd 4190. Bust of Alexander I r. / Alexandrine column in St. Petersburg. Nicely toned. About uncirculated \$ 1,500



2193



2194



2193 Rouble 1840 СПБ-НГ. St. George without mantle. Bit 190, Uzd 1591. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,000
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2194 Rouble 1840 СПБ-НГ. Bit 190, Sev 3338, Uzd 1591. Weak obverse center. About very fine \$ 250



2195



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- 2195 Rouble 1842 СПБ-АЧ. Bit 201, Sev 3394, Uzd 1603. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 64+. Light golden toning with lovely fresh mint lustre. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,500
- 2196 Rouble 1842 СПБ-АЧ. Bit 185, Uzd 1603. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64. Steely gray with soft iridescent peripheral hues. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,500
- 2197 Rouble 1843 СПБ-АЧ. Bit 186, Sev 3423, Uzd 1614. Deep gray. Good extremely fine \$ 400



2198



2199



2200



- 2198 Rouble 1847 СПБ-ПА. Bit 209, Sev 3522, Uzd 1648. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU Details – Surface hairlines. Toned About uncirculated \$ 1,000
- 2199 Rouble 1849 СПБ-ПА. St. George with mantle. Bit 219, Sev 3556, Uzd 1668. Weakly-struck obverse center, flurry of reverse hairline scratches. Heavily mis-handled and “misstruck”. PROOF \$ 2,000
- 2200 Rouble 1850 СПБ-ПА. St. George without mantle, 8 buds in branches. Bit 225, Sev 3573, Uzd 1678. Sharp strike. Prooflike. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,500

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2201

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2201

2201 Rouble 1850 СПБ-ПА. Bit 226, Sev 3572, Uzd 1678. Authenticated and graded by NGC PROOF Scratches. Some obverse hairlines and reverse scratches. Lustrous. PROOF \$ 2,000



2202

2202 Rouble 1852 СПБ-ПА. Bit 229, Sev 3598, Uzd 1692. Friction hairlines in reflective, lustrous fields. Prooflike. About uncirculated \$ 800



to 3x



2203

2203 Poltina 1827 СПБ-ПГ. Bit 116, Sev 2905 (S), Uzd 1512. Very rare. Meticulous devices came well in blazing, frosty semi-reflective fields. Brilliant PROOF \$ 10,000



to 3x



2204

2204 Poltina 1836 СПБ-ПГ. Bit 240, Sev 3143, Uzd 1568. *Very rare.* Superb iridescent toning in near pristine, mirrorlike fields frame bold types. Choice brilliant PROOF \$ 10,000



to 3x



2205

2205 Poltina 1844 СПБ-КБ. Bit 251, Sev 3449, Uzd 1624. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 65. Brilliant fresh mint lustre, sharp strike. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 5,000



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| 2206 | Poltina 1844 СПБ-КБ. <u>St. George with a mantle</u> . Bit 253, Sev 3450, Uzd 1624. Small edge nick, deeply toned. Brilliant uncirculated | \$ 1,250 |
| 2207 | Poltina 1846 MW. Bit 437, Sev 3497, Uzd 1643. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63. Nice original mint lustre with a hint of toning. Brilliant uncirculated | \$ 3,000 |
| 2208 | 25 Kopecks 1838 СПБ-НГ. Bit 281, Uzd 1581, KM 166.1 Authenticated and graded by PCGS AU 58. Choice almost uncirculated | \$ 400 |
| 2209 | 20 Kopecks 1847 СПБ-ПА. Bit 332, Sev 3512, Uzd 1655. Pale lilac-gray, soft amber highlights over some obverse graffiti. About uncirculated | \$ 150 |
| 2210 | 5 Kopecks 1850 СПБ-ПА. Bit 407, Sev 3559, Uzd 1685. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 61 PL. We believe this coin to be a Proof strike especially as it came as a set with the lots above. Prooflike uncirculated or possible Proof | \$ 500 |
| 2211 | 5 Kopecks 1855 СПБ-НІ. Bit 414, Sev 3626, Uzd 1726. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63. Brilliant uncirculated | \$ 250 |

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| 2212 | 3 Kopecks 1840 СПМ. <i>Izhora mint</i> . Bit 807, B 205, Uzd 3371. Of the highest state of preservation. Impossible to improve. Gem brilliant uncirculated | \$ 1,000 |
| 2213 | 2 Kopecks 1840 СПМ. <i>Izhora mint</i> . Bit 816, B 1643, Uzd 3376. Toffee-brown. Of the highest state of preservation. Impossible to improve. Gem brilliant uncirculated | \$ 1,000 |
| 2214 | ¼ Kopeck 1840 СПМ. Bit 841, B 4, Uzd 3390. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 61 BN. Hints of orange highlights. Uncirculated | \$ 400 |

Russo-Polish Coinage



to 2x



2215



to 2x

2215 25 Zlotych 1829-FH. GOLD. Bit 980 (R1), Hcz- 3633; Fr-110; KM-C118, Petrov (18 Rubl.). *Rare*. Authenticated and graded by PCGS AU 55. About uncirculated \$ 6,000



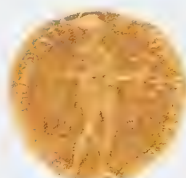
2216



2216 1 Zloty 1832 KG. *Warsaw*. Large head. Bit 1002, Uzd 4593. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 55. Light gray, some lustre. About uncirculated \$ 350



to 2x



2217



to 2x

2217 Revolutionary coinage, 1830-1831. Trade Ducat 1831. Bit 1st ed-1020; Fr-114; Hcz-3659; KM-C125. Knight standing, Polish eagle / Legend in tablet. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 61. *Scarce* this nice. Uncirculated \$ 1,500



2218



2219



2218 2 Zlote 1831 KG. Revolutionary issue. Bit 4. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58. Good lustre. Choice about uncirculated \$ 300

2219 3 Groszy Pols. 1831. Revolutionary issue. Cr. 120. Authenticated and graded by NGC XF 45 BN. Dark café au lait. Extremely fine \$ 250



- 2220 3 Roubles – 20 Zlotych 1834 СПБ-ПД. GOLD. Bit 1075 (R), Uzd 4099 (R).
Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58. Choice about uncirculated \$ 2,500
- 2221 3 Roubles – 20 Zlotych 1838 СПБ-ПД. GOLD. Bit 1079 (R), Fr-111, KM-
C136.2. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58. Almost uncirculated \$ 2,500



- 2222 30 Kopecks – 2 Zlote 1837 MW. Bit 1155. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63.
Reflective surface, brilliant mint luster with a hint of golden toning. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 2,000
- 2223 30 Kopecks – 2 Zlote 1838 MW. Bit 1156, Sev 3262, Uzd 4140. Frosty satiny-
white. About uncirculated \$ 300
- 2224 30 Kopecks - 2 Zlote 1840 MW. Bit 1161, Sev 3325, Uzd 4158. Authenticated and
graded by NGC AU 55 About uncirculated \$ 200
- 2225 15 Kopecks – 1 Zloty 1840 HG. *St. Petersburg*. Bit 1122, Sev 3314, Uzd 4159.
Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 61. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 300



- 2226 10 Groszy 1840 MW. Bit 1182, Uzd 4637. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS
63. Satiny white tone over full lustre. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 300
- 2227 5 Groszy 1840 MW. Bit 1192, Uzd 4640. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS
64. Crisp strike with good lustre. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 300
- 2228 3 Grosze 1840 MW. Bit 1206, Uzd 4641. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU
58 BN. Choice about uncirculated \$ 250

Nicholas I Jettons



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2229 Pt



1,5:1

2229 Jetton 1826. Platinum. 7.07 gm. 22 mm. **On the Coronation of Nicholas I.** Diakov 446.9 (R3), Sm 414. Crowned Nicholas I cipher / Two-line legend, crown above, date below. Light contact marks. About uncirculated \$ 6,000



2230 (lot of 4)



2230 Lot of Silver Coronation Jettons: **Nicholas I, 1826; Alexander II, 1856.** Both 22 mm; **Alexander III, 1883; Nicholas II, 1896.** 26 and 25.3 mm. All with crowned ciphers / Two-line legend, crown above, date below. Average Extremely fine (Lot of 4) \$ 1,000

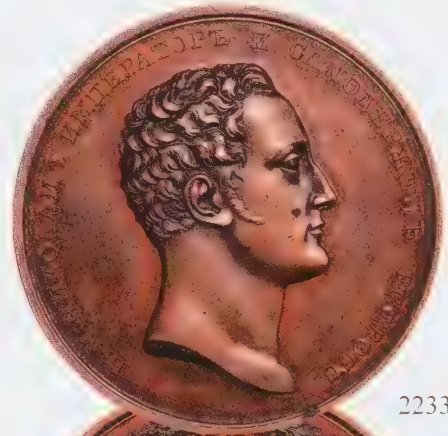
Medals of Nicholas I



2232



2231



2233



2231 Medal. Bronze. 41.7 mm. By F. Tolstoy. **In Honor of Empress Maria Feodorovna, 1826.** Diakov 448.1 (R1), Sm 430. Diademed and laureate portrait of the empress r., signed Г. ТЕОДОР. ТОЛСТОЙ. below / Vital dates within linked wreaths, initials И.А.Н. (*Imperial Academy of Sciences*) below. Deep chestnut-brown with a soft iridescent undertone. A superb example. Choice uncirculated \$ 500

2232 Medal. Silvered Copper. 53 mm. By Montagny. **In Memory of Nicholas I, 1796-1855.** Apparently unpublished. Laureate head r., signed MONTAGNY.F. below / Six-line French legends with vital dates. Edge: (hand) CUIVRE. Choice extremely fine \$ 500

2233 Medal. Bronze. 51 mm. By V. Alexeev. **Prize Medal for Diligence and Art, n.d. (1826).** Diakov 463.1, Sm 451/a. Nicholas I head r., signed on truncation / Four-line legend. Dark chestnut with a silvery undertone and good lustre. Choice extremely fine \$ 400



2234

- 2234 Medal. Bronze. 60 mm. By Konig and L. Held. **Opening of the First Russian Railway, 1837.** Diakov 537.1 (R2). Peter I and Nicholas I flank Russia-Progress, holding a cornucopiae, St. Petersburg to Pavlovsk legend in ex., Loos-Konig signatures below / Steam locomotive, legend naming builder of the railway: Franz Gerstner, L. Held signature below. Caramel brown, decent lustre. About uncirculated fine

\$ 600



2235

- 2235 Medal. Bronze. 68 mm. By P. Utkin and H. Gube. **On the Death of Empress Maria Feodorovna, 1828.** Diakov 468.1 (R1), Reichel 3485, Sm (listed in) 450. Laureate and diademed bust of the empress l., signed Р П УТКИНЪ below / Angel standing, holding a coiled serpent and pointing heavenwards for two children flanking him to the radiant name МАРИЯ. Deep chestnut-brown on lustrous fields. Choice uncirculated

\$ 1,000



2236

2236

- 2236 Medal. Silver. 50.3 mm. By P. Utkin. **In Honor of Count R. Rehbindler, 1841.** Diakov 564.1 (R3), Reichel 4517 (R2), Sm 505. Rehbindler head l., signed on truncation, vital dates below / Four-line Latin legend: "With Love from Fellow-Citizens to a Glorious Man for Merit to the Motherland" within wreath. Edge bruise at right. Deep violet-gray with russet, cobalt-blue and pearly white highlights. About uncirculated

\$ 2,000



2237 to 2x



*A Magnificent Plaque
of Impeccable Provenance*



2237



2237 Octagonal Plaque. GOLD. 84 x 60 mm. 305.8 gm. By A. Gube. **Opening of the Moscow Triumphal Arch in St. Petersburg, 1838.** Diakov 541.1 (R5), Reichel 3661 (silver), Sm 491. View of the Arch / Ten-line legend between trophies of armor and weapons. *Excessively rare.* Minor contact marks and hairline scratches. Struck in deep, high-relief; meticulous details and lustrous, prooflike surfaces. Uncirculated \$ 200,000

Built in memory of Russia's victories, notably in the Russo-Turkish War of 1828, the arch was designed by Vasily Stasov. City leaders originally planned to place it by Obvodny Canal, but as the city limits expanded further south, the site was moved to the intersection of the Moscow Road and the Ligovsky Canal. Its new location, created the added benefit of making the Triumphal Arch an impressive gateway to the capital.

Ex "The New York Sale, Auction XII," New York, January 12, 2006, lot 1493

Ex "Grand Duke George Mikhailovich Collection," Christies, July 3, 1950, lot 372

Ex "Grand Duke George Mikhailovich Collection," Hess, Luzern, October 25, 1939

Alexander II, 1855-1881

A Great Russian Gold Rarity, the 1876 25 Roubles



2238



to 2.5x



2238

Grand Duke Vladimir Alexandrovich 30th Birthday Commemorative 25 Roubles
1876 С.Н.Б. GOLD. Bit 565 (R3) , Fr 162, Sev 501 (RRRR), Uzd 4210 (RRR).
Struck to serve as a memento of the 30th birthday of the Tsar's fourth son Vladimir, only 100 pieces of this extremely rare coin were minted. Russia issued just four large gold coin types: the 1902 Nicholas II portrait 37 ½ Roubles , the 1896 and 1908 25 Roubles and this type. Of the four, this is the rarest and most elusive, a great prize for the collector. Authenticated and graded by PCGS PR 58. Slight hint of handling, but superior in grade for the existent pieces of this extremely rare issue. Crisp types, pleasing wheaten gold.

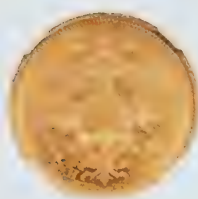
PROOF \$ 200,000



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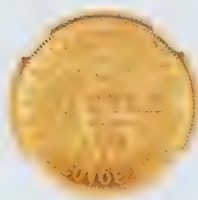
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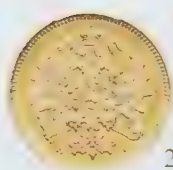
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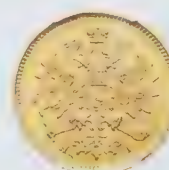
- 2239 5 Roubles 1856 СПБ-АГ. GOLD. Bit 2, Sev 466, Uzd 0238 (S). Friction hairlines on reverse. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,000
- 2240 5 Roubles 1864 СПБ-АС. GOLD. Bit 10, Sev 478, Uzd 0246. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,250
- 2241 5 Roubles 1873 СПБ-НІ. GOLD. Bit 21, Fr 163, Sev 494, Uzd 0261 (S). Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,250
Ex "The George Gund III Collection," Stack's, Jan. 15, 2007, New York, lot 3414, comes with auction tag
- 2242 5 Roubles 1874 СПБ-НІ. GOLD. Bit 22, Fr 163, Sev 496, Uzd 0263 (S). Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62. Bold strike, good lustre. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,250
Ex "The George Gund III Collection," Stack's, Jan. 15, 2007, New York, lot 3416, comes with auction tag



2243



2244



2245



- 2243 3 Roubles 1871 СПБ-НІ. GOLD. Bit 33 (R), Fr 164, Sev 489, Uzd 0258 (S). Authenticated and graded by PCGS AU 55. About uncirculated \$ 2,500
- 2244 3 Roubles 1873 СПБ-НІ. Bit 35 (R), Sev 493, Uzd 0262 (S) About uncirculated \$ 2,000
- 2245 3 Roubles 1874 СПБ-НІ. GOLD. Bit 36 (R), Fr 164, Sev 495, Uzd 0264 (S). Authenticated and graded by PCGS AU 58. Choice almost uncirculated \$ 2,500



2246



2247



2248



- 2246 **Nicholas I Commemorative Rouble 1859.** By Lyalin. Bit 567, Sev 3681, Uzd 4194. Small nick on neck. Pale lavender-gray with soft peripheral iridescent hues. Good extremely fine \$ 1,500
- 2247 **Nicholas I Commemorative Rouble 1859.** By Lyalin. Bit 567, Sev 3681, Uzd 4194. A few rim tics. Very fine \$ 1,250
- 2248 **Nicholas I Commemorative Rouble 1859.** By Lyalin. Bit 567, Sev 3681, Uzd 4194. Light reverse graffiti, appears to have been once gilded. Extremely fine \$ 1,250



2249



2250



2251



2252



- 2249 Rouble 1856 СПБ-ФБ. Bit 46, Sev 3644, Uzd 1727. Deep slate grate, soft iridescent undertone. Extremely fine \$ 400
- 2250 Rouble 1867 СПБ-НІ. Bit 80, Sev 3779 (S), Uzd 1847. Crisp strike. Attractive pale steely-gray with soft iridescent hues. Uncirculated \$ 1,000
- 2251 Rouble 1868 СПБ-НІ. Bit 81, Sev 3786 (S), Uzd 1854. Steely gray with soft russet highlights over some minor mishandling marks, crisp devices. Prooflike. Uncirculated \$ 1,000
- 2252 Rouble 1869 СПБ-НІ. Bit 82, Sev 3793 (S), Uzd 1861 (S). Lovely lilac-gray with soft russet and silver white hues. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 2,500



2253



2254



2255



2256



- 2253 Rouble 1872 СПБ-НІ. Bit 85, Sev 3825 (S), Uzd 1882. Pale spot reverse, light steely gray. About uncirculated \$ 750
- 2254 Rouble 1875 СПБ-НІ. Bit 88, Sev 3849 (S), Uzd 1903. Lavender-gray with pale iridescent hues. Choice about uncirculated \$ 750
- 2255 Rouble 1876 СПБ-НІ. Bit 89, Sev 3860, Uzd 1910. Pale slate-gray with pearly highlights. Choice uncirculated \$ 1,000
- 2256 Rouble 1880 СПБ-НФ. Bit 94, Sev 3903 (S), Uzd 1950. Deep lavender-gray. Extremely fine \$ 750



- 2257 Poltina 1858 СПб-ФБ. Bit 52, Sev 3661, Uzd 1743. Deep lavender-gray over old reverse fingerprint. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 500
- 2258 Poltina 1859 СПб-ФБ. Bit 97, Sev 3678, Uzd 1756. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 61. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 500
- 2259 Poltina 1880 СПб-НФ. Bit 129, Sev 3902 (S), Uzd 1951. Frosty white About uncirculated \$ 500
- 2260 25 Kopecks 1859 СПб-ФБ. St. George with mantle. Bit 131 (R), Sev 3675 (S), Uzd 1757. Even gray tone, decent lustre. Uncirculated \$ 175
- 2261 20 Kopecks 1860 СПб-ФБ. Bit 168, Sev 3701, Uzd 1773. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 500



to 2x

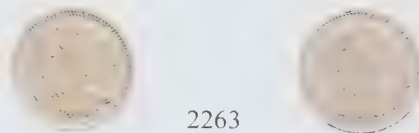


2262



to 2x

- 2262 PATTERN 10 Kopecks 1871. *Brussels mint*. 6.77 gm. Bit 608 (R3), Sev 3808A (R), Uzd 4041 (RRR). Bare head r., legend around / Value within open wreath, КОПѢЕКЪ horizontal, date below. Extremely fine \$ 1,250



2263

- 2263 5 Kopecks 1876 СПб-НІ. Bit 66, Sev 3850, Uzd 1917. Crisply squared off edges, meticulous details Brilliant PROOF \$ 400
Ex "The George Gund III Collection," Stack's, Jan. 15, 2007, New York, lot 3423(part), comes with auction tag

A Classical 19th Century Copper Rarity in Pristine Condition



to 2x



2264

2264 5 Kopecks 1858 EM. New eagle type. Bit 302 (R2), B 217 (R), Petrov (15 Rubl.), Ilyin (10 Rubl.). *Elusively rare* issue, missing in major collections and sales. Tolstoy had one in VF only. Apparently the best known specimen

Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 15,000



2265



2266



2267



- 2265 5 Kopecks 1859 EM. Bit 304, B 220, Uzd 3585. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 62 Brown. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 750
- 2266 5 Kopecks 1860 EM. Bit 306, B 221, Uzd 3604. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 62 Brown. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 750
- 2267 5 Kopecks 1861 EM. Bit 307, B 222, Uzd 3618. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 62 Brown. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 750



- 2268 2 Kopecks 1860 EM. Bit 340. Error. Off-center strike, about 15% obverse and reverse. Choice uncirculated \$ 500
- 2269 2 Kopecks 1864 EM. Bit 344, B 145, Uzd 3651. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 62 Brown. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 500

Elusive Kopeck of a Dead Emperor



- 2270 Kopeck 1856 BM. *Warsaw*. Novodel. Bit H871 (R3), B 84 (RRR), GM 530 (RRR), HCz 3809, Uzd 3559 (RRR). "Honest error" – Cipher of Nicholas I. GM knew of only the specimen in the Tolstoy collection, while Uzdenikov knew of only three examples. There has been until recently only two recorded sales of this piece, the Brekke Collection example and the Tolstoy Collection. *Extremely rare* and a classical rarity. Light deposits, mottled toning. About uncirculated \$ 5,000



- 2271 Kopeck 1857 EM. Bit 351, B 86, Uzd 3568. Remnants of mint red. About uncirculated \$ 250
- 2272 Kopeck 1862/1 EM. Cf. Bit 357, B 95, Uzd 3634. Interesting overdate. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 65 BN. Highest grade for this coin by NGC. Claret highlights. Very choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 500

Medals of Alexander II



2273

2273 Medal. Bronze. 65 mm. By M. Kuchkin and H. Gube. **Prize Medal of the Academy of Sciences, n.d. (1855)**. Diakov 649.1, Sm 566/a1. Portrait of Alexander II l., P.M.K. on truncation / PRAEMIA DIGNO within wreath, signed GUBE.F. below. Soft tone. Extremely fine \$ 500



2274

2274 Medal. Silver. 77.3 mm. By I. Chukmasov. **On the Opening of the Nicholas I Monument at the St. Petersburg Stock Exchange, 1859**. Diakov 682.1 (R3); Iversen, *Memorial Medals* XXVII; Sm 622. View of the monument on its pedestal, signed Н. ПИМЕНОВЪ. and ИВ. ЧУКМАСОВЪ Р. below, legend in exergue: "Erected by St. Petersburg Merchants in 1859" / View of the Stock Exchange, signed by Chukmasov on groundline. Good lustre over some friction hairlines, small dark area lower reverse. Uncirculated \$ 4,000



2275

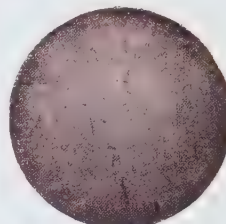
2275 Medal. Bronze. 58.3 mm. By G. Lorenz. **A.M. Knyazhevich, in Honor of his 50 Years of Service, 1861**. Diakov 700.1, Sm 636. Head r., signed ЛОРЕНЦЪ Р. Below / Five-line legend, star above. Pleasing silvery undertone. About uncirculated \$ 500

Ex World Art Medals Auction, 'Russian Medals', Part III, Philadelphia 1981, lot 769.



2276

2276 Medal. Bronze. 68 mm. By N. Kozin. **The Emancipation of the Serfs, 1861.** Diakov 702.1, Sm 652. Alexander II, cast as a medieval warrior, placing his hands on the shoulders of a peasant and a nobleman who clasp hands, flanked by symbols of farming and science, church in the background, signed in ex. / Radiant patriarchal cross. Deep mahogany, lustrous. Uncirculated \$ 400
Ex World Art Medals Auction, 'Russian Medals', Part III, Philadelphia 1981, lot 771. Accompanied by auction tag.



2277

2277 Medal. Silver. Uniface. 26 mm. 7.12 gm. Unsigned. **Emancipation of Serfs, 1861.** Obverse only. Diakov 702.5 (R2), Iversen, *Memorial Medals XXII/3.* Young Alexander II bust $\frac{3}{4}$ l. Struck as an obverse study; perhaps to pair with a different reverse – which didn't occur, or simply the reverse was never struck on this piece. *Rare and interesting.* Friction hairlines in field. About uncirculated \$ 500



2278



2279

2278 Medal. Bronze. 42 mm. By I. Chukmaskov. **25th Anniversary of the Death of Alexander Pushkin, 1862.** Diakov 706.1. Cloaked bust l. of the Romanticist poet and author, considered to be the founder of modern Russian literature, signed below / Lyre within wreath, six-line inscription below. Good extremely fine \$ 400

2279 Medal. Bronze. 50.3 mm. By V. Alexeev and I. Chukmasov. **Centennial of the Moscow Foundling Hospital, 1863.** Diakov 716.1, Sm 653. Conjoined busts r. of Alexander II and Empress Maria Alexandrovna beneath radiant cross, signed below / Woman seated r., breast-feeding infant, flanked by two young boys, radiant All-Seeing Eye above, foundling Hospital in background. Chestnut-brown, good lustre. Uncirculated \$ 500



to 2x



2280



2280

Medal. GOLD. 42 mm. 53.24 gm. By V. Baranov and V. Nikonov. **Pan-Russian Exhibition of 1864.** Prize Medal. Diakov 726.2 (R4), Iversen *Memorial Medals* XXXI/2, Sm--. Conjoined busts of Alexander I and Alexander II l. signed В. БАРАНОВЪ Р. below / Within wreath, in four lines: ЗА ВСЕРОССИЙСКУЮ ВЫСТАВКУ 1864 ГОДА. An *Extremely rare* and attractive medal.

Brilliant uncirculated \$ 10,000



2281



2281

Medal. Bronze. 62 mm. By P. Brusnitsyn. **Professor I.V. Buyalsky, in Honor of his 50 Years of Service, 1864.** Diakov 728.1 (R1), Sm 658. Uniformed bust r., wearing Orders and large epaulette, signed on truncation / Ten-line inscription within wreath. A few light surface marks.

About uncirculated \$ 400



- 2282 Medal. Bronze. 36 mm. By N. Kozin. On the Death of Grand Duke Nicholas Alexandrovich, 1865. Diakov 732.1, Sm 671. Head l., signed on truncation and below / Coffin on catafalque, All-Seeing Eye above. Small nick on neck. Silvery-brown. Uncirculated \$ 150

Ex World Art Medals Auction, 'Russian Medals', Part III, Philadelphia 1981, lot 773.

- 2283 Medal. Bronze. 45 mm. By M. Kuchkin. Centennial of the Imperial Liberal Economic Society, 1865. Diakov 735.1, Sm 667. Medallion portraits of Catherine II and Alexander II facing each other, angel, holding wreath and branch, above, signed below / Beehive with swarm of bees, centennial dates below. Tiny obverse spot. Deep root beer-brown. Uncirculated \$ 150

Ex World Art Medals Auction, 'Russian Medals', Part III, Philadelphia 1981, lot 775.



- 2284 Medal. Bronze. 51 mm. By V. Alexeev. Architect K.A. Ton, in Honor of his 50 Years of Service, 1865. Diakov 737.1, Sm 666. Head r. within wreath, signed on truncation and below / Four-line legend. Rich, deep birch brown. About uncirculated \$ 500

Ex World Art Medals Auction, 'Russian Medals', Part III, Philadelphia 1981, lot 774.

- 2285 Medal. Bronze. 50.3 mm. By V. Alexeev. Artist F.A. Bruni, in Honor of his 50 Years of Service, 1868. Diakov 753.1, Sm 685. Portrait of Bruni r., signed on truncation and below / Four-line inscription below laurel wreath. Dark, glossy chestnut. Uncirculated \$ 600

- 2286 Medal. Bronze. 54 mm. Unsigned. Pan-Russian Exposition of Horned Cattle, 1869. Prize Medal for Progress in Cattle Breeding. Diakov 761.2 (R1), Sm 691. Alexander II head l. / Three-line legend in center. A few trivial obverse spots. Dusky chestnut with a silver undertone. About uncirculated \$ 400

*Ex World Art Medals Auction, 'Russian Medals', Part III, Philadelphia 1981, lot 780.
Extremely Rare Winter Horse Racing Society – Rodion Grinwald Gold Medal*



2287



2287

Medal. Gold. 65 mm. 150.81 gm. Unsigned. **Presentation Medal to R.E. Grinvald, St. Petersburg Society of Devotees of Winter Horse Racing, 1865.** Diakov 738.1 (R5), Iversen *Persons* CLXXII, Sm 670. Grinvald family Arms / Six-line legend: ПРЕЗИДЕНТУ ОСНОВАТЕЛЮ ГЕНЕРАЛ-АДЪЮТАНТУ РОДИОНУ ЕГОРОВИЧУ ГРИНВАЛЬДУ 1865 (“to President and Founder General-Adjutant Rodion Egorovich Grinvald”); С.ПЕТЕРБУРГСКОЕ ОБЩЕСТВО ОХОТНИКОВ КОНСКОГО ЗИМНЯГО БЪГА around. A few contact marks. *Extremely rare* and apparently Unique. Uncirculated

\$ 40,000

Rodion Egorovich Grinvald (*Mauritz-Reinhold v. Grünewaldt*, 1797-1877) was a major general, Commander of the Horse Guard.

Родион (Мориц Рейнгольд) Егорович Гринвальд (1797—1877) — генерал от кавалерии, главноуправляющий Государственным коннозаводством, член Государственного совета.

- 1827 - Неоднократно выполнял поручения императора Николая I, касающиеся рекрутских наборов, государственного коннозаводства.

- 1831 - назначен командиром Новгородского кирасирского полка, во главе которого находился при штурме Варшавы 25 и 26 августа.

- 25 июня 1833 г. произведён в генерал-майоры и получил в командование Кавалергардский полк,

- возглавил 1-ю гвардейскую кирасирскую бригаду

- 1844 - назначен гвардейской кирасирской дивизией. Произведён в генерал-лейтенанты.

- 1856 - в день коронации императора Александра II, произведён в генералы от кавалерии и 30 сентября того же года назначен вице-председателем Комиссии для улучшения по военной части и членом Комиссии по учреждению Императорской кавалерийской академии

- 1859 - назначен главноуправляющим Государственным коннозаводством. На этом посту Гринвальд ввёл значительные улучшения в организации коннозаводского дела, сэкономив при этом значительные средства. Эти меры превратили ведомство государственного коннозаводства из исключительно военного в общегосударственное учреждение.

Кавалер всех Российских Орденов. В конце карьеры пожалован орденом св. Владимира 1-й степени (1874) и орденом орденом св. Андрея Первозванного (1874)

Ex "The New York Sale XXI," Jan. 8, 2009, New York, lot 1305.



to 1.3x

A Remarkable Medal Trio of Medals of the St. George Order Centennial



to 1.5x



2288



2288

Medal. GOLD. 70.9 mm. By V. Alexeev and P. Mescheryakov. **Centennial of the Order of St. George, 1869.** Diakov 760.1 (R5), Iversen *Memorial Medals* #L11, Sm 704. Conjoined busts l. of Catherine II, crowned and Alexander II, uniformed, signed on truncation / Cross of the Order of St. George, initials П.М.Р. below. *Extremely rare.* Some friction hairlines in lustrous fields.

Uncirculated \$ 150,000



2289



to 1.5x



2290



- 2289 Medal. Silver. 71 mm. By V. Alexeev and P. Mescheryakov. **Centennial of the Order of St. George, 1869.** Diakov 760.1 (R3), Iversen *Memorial Medals* #L11, Sm 704. Types as above. *Very rare.* Deep toning, attractive iridescent apricot and turquoise highlights. Gem uncirculated \$ 7,500
- 2290 Medal. Bronze. 71 mm. By V. Alexeev and P. Pescheryakov. **Centennial of the Order of St. George, 1869.** Sm 704. Types as above. Attractive deep coffee-brown with gold lustre. About uncirculated \$ 750



2291



2292



- 2291 Medal. Bronze. 51 mm. By C. Wiener. **For the Pan-Russian Manufacturing Exposition, St. Petersburg 1870.** Diakov 770.2 (R1). Putti leaning on and flanking inscribed central medallion / Russia-Commerce seated l. holding wreath and branch, amid symbols of manufacturing. Tiny obverse deposit, scrapes. Uncirculated \$ 200
- 2292 Medal. Bronze. 37 mm. By L. Shteinman. **Prize Medal for the St. Petersburg Teachers Institute, n.d. (1872).** Diakov 798, Sm 750. Uniformed Alexander II bust r. / ДОСТОЙНОМУ in center. Deep gray-brown. Choice about uncirculated \$ 300



2293



- 2293 Medal. Bronze. 79.5 mm. By V. Alexeev and A. Griliches. **Centennial of the Mining Institute, 1873.** Diakov 802.1. Winged genius crowns oval portraits of Catherine II and Alexander II with wreaths, shield with crossed hammers below / View of the Institute, Griliches signature below. Dark brown. About uncirculated \$ 500



2294



- 2294 Medal. Bronze. 80 mm. By S. Vazhenin and A. Griliches. **Construction of the Alexander Bridge over the Volga, 1880.** Diakov 878.1 (R1), Sm 912. Alexander II head r., initials C.B.P. on truncation / View of the Alexandrovsky Bridge, a steamship passing beneath, Griliches signature above ex. Right. Extremely fine \$ 600

Alexander III, 1881-1894



to 3x

2295

2295 10 Roubles 1886 AF. GOLD. Fr 167, Bit 15 I, Sev 529, Uzd 0291 I. Rarer date especially as a Proof. Hairline and friction marks evidence of slight mishandling. Brilliant PROOF \$ 20,000



2296



2297



2298



2296 5 Roubles 1886 AF. GOLD. Fr 168, Bit 24, Sev 529, Uzd 0292 (S). Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,000

2297 5 Roubles 1886 AF. GOLD. Fr 168, Bit 24, Sev 529, Uzd 0292 (S). Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58. Choice about uncirculated \$ 900

2298 5 Roubles 1889 AF. GOLD. Fr 168, Bit 33, Sev 535, Uzd 0301 (S). Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,000



2299



2299 **Coronation of Alexander III Commemorative Rouble 1883 IIII.** Bit 217, Sev 3939, Uzd 4195. Steely gray with russet and pale violet highlights. About uncirculated \$ 600



2300



2301



2302



- 2300 Rouble 1883 СПБ-ДС. Bit 43, Sev 3936 (R), Uzd 1973 (S). Light gray.
Near extremely fine \$ 1,000
- 2301 Rouble 1884 СПБ-АГ. Bit 45, Sev 3948 (S), Uzd 1987 (R). A few tiny edge ticks.
Deep lavender gray with a pale blue undertone and good lustre
Choice about uncirculated \$ 1,000
- 2302 Rouble 1885 СПБ-АГ. Bit 46, Sev 3955 (S), Uzd 1994. Satiny gray, peripheral
iridescent hues.
About uncirculated \$ 1,000



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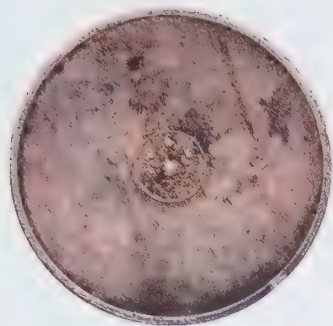
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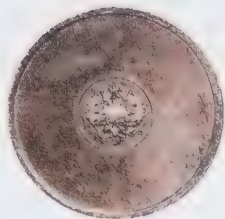
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- 2303 Rouble 1887 АГ-АГ. Bit 70, Sev 3968, Uzd 2011. Authenticated and graded by
NGC MS 63. Full mint lustre.
Brilliant uncirculated \$ 6,000
- 2304 Rouble 1890 АГ. Bit 73 (R), Sev 3998, Uzd 2033. Authenticated and graded by
PCGS MS 62+. Attractive iridescent toning with underlying mint lustre.
Brilliant uncirculated \$ 6,000
- 2305 50 Kopecks 1894 АГ. Bit 87, Sev 4021 (S), Uzd 2059. Authenticated and graded by
NGC MS 64. Frosty gray with pale russet highlights. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,250
- 2306 50 Kopecks 1894 АГ. Bit 87, Sev 4021 (S), Uzd 2059. Authenticated and graded
by NGC MS 62. Light gray tone.
Brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,250
- 2307 1 Kopeck 1894 СПБ. Bit 190, B 40, Uzd 3858. Authenticated and graded by NGC
MS 64 BN. Deep birch brown with iridescent undertone.
Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 200



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2312



- 2308 10 Zolotniks Mining Ingot, nd (1880-1900) АД. Bit 258 (R), Sev 4206 (R). *Rare*. Some contact marks typical for these heavy, compact disks of silver. Pale lilac gray. Very fine/Extremely fine \$ 800
- 2309 3 Zolotniks Mining Ingot, nd (1880-1900) АД. Bit 260 (R1), Sev 4207 (RR). *The Rarest* denomination of the series. Typical contact marks, toned. Uncirculated \$ 1,000
- 2310 1 Zolotnik Mining Ingot, nd (1880-1900) АД. Bit 262, Sev 4208 (RR). *Rare*. Steely-gray with soft amber highlights and good lustre. Uncirculated \$ 300
- 2311 24 Dolyas Mining Ingot, nd (1880-1900) АД. Bit 264 (R2), Sev 4209 (RRR). *Very rare*. About uncirculated \$ 250
- 2312 Jetton. 1883. Silver. 6.36 gm. **On the Coronation of Alexander III and Maria Feodorovna, 1883.** Diakov 931.3, Sm 874. Crowned ciphers of the emperor and empress / Three-line legend below crown. Bold lustre in prooflike fields. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 250

Medals of Alexander III



2313

- 2313 Medal. Bronze. 92 mm. By M. Kuchkin and M. Gabe. **International Horticultural Exhibition, St. Petersburg 1884. Prize Medal.** Diakov 950.1, Sm 883/a. Fecundity standing, holding cornucopiae and wreath, garden implements and basket with flowers and fruit beside her, initials M.K. above ex. /Three-line legend with date, star above. Dark caramel-brown with good lustre. About uncirculated \$ 500



2314

2314 Medal. Bronze. 51 mm. Unsigned (L. Shteinman). **Society for the Assistance of Russian Industry and Trade, n.d. (1885). Prize Medal of the Turkestan Exhibition.** Diakov 964.1, Sm 928. Portrait of Alexander III r. / Five-line legend within wreath. Silvery sheen with cobalt blue and claret undertone.

Choice about uncirculated

\$ 250



2315

2315 Medal. Bronze. 77 mm. By L. Shteinman and M. Gabe. **Opening of the Alexander II Monument at the St. Petersburg Stock Exchange, 1887.** Diakov 992.1, Sm 929. View of the monument within a wreath, signed below / Seven-line legend. Glossy birch brown over very light friction marks.

Uncirculated

\$ 500



2316

2316 Medal. Silver. 65.7 mm. 139.23 gm. By M. Kuchkin. **Ministry of Agriculture and State Property, n.d. (1887). Prize Medal for Agricultural Products.** Diakov 1003.2 (R2), Sm 957/b. Four-line Ministry legend within wreath / Ox standing by farm implements, sheaf of wheat and grape vine. Hairlines in fields from being polished.

About uncirculated

\$ 800



2317

- 2317 Medal. Bronze. 89 mm. By A. Griliches, Jr. **On the Miraculous Survival of the Imperial Family after the Railway Crash, 1888.** Diakov 1010.1, Sm 958. Alexander III with members of his family, signed on the groundline, three-line legend in ex. / Angel standing $\frac{3}{4}$ l. blesses a woman who kneels before him, the derailed train and survivors in ex. Edge bruises and contact marks in fields. Deep coffee-brown. About extremely fine \$ 500



2318

- 2318 Medal. Bronze. 86.5 mm. By V. Nikonov and A. Griliches, Sr. **50th Anniversary of the Institute of Civil Engineers, 1892.** Diakov 1067.1, Sm 1010. Conjoined heads r. of Alexander III, Alexander II and Nicholas I within wreath beneath crown / High-relief emblem with Imperial eagle and crossed spade and ax within wreath at center. Choice extremely fine \$ 750

Nicholas II, 1894-1917



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| 2319 | 10 Roubles 1901 Φ З. GOLD. Bit 8, Fr 179, Sev 574, Uzd 0339. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 61. | Uncirculated
\$ 500 |
| 2320 | 10 Roubles 1909 Θ Б. GOLD. Bit 14 (R), Fr 179, Sev 589 (S), Uzd 0352 (R). <i>Rare</i> date with a mintage of 50,000. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58. | Choice about uncirculated
\$ 700 |
| 2321 | Lot of two 10 Roubles 1909 Θ Б. GOLD. Bit 14 (R), Fr 179, Sev 589 (S), Uzd 0352 (R). <i>Rare</i> date with a mintage of 50,000. Each is authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58. Lot of 2, only one coin is illustrated. | Choice about uncirculated
\$ 1,250 |
| 2322 | 10 Roubles 1911 Θ Б. GOLD. Bit 16 (R), Fr 179, Sev 593 (S), Uzd 0356 (S). <i>Rare</i> date with a mintage of 50,011 pieces. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63. | Brilliant uncirculated
\$ 800 |



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| 2323 | 5 Roubles 1898 АГ. GOLD. Bit 20, Sev 563, Uzd 328. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64. | Choice brilliant uncirculated
\$ 300 |
| 2324 | 5 Roubles 1898 АГ. GOLD. Bit 20, Sev 563, Uzd 328. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63. | Brilliant uncirculated
\$ 250 |
| 2325 | 5 Roubles 1899 Φ З. GOLD. Bit 24, Sev 566, Uzd 0335. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62. | Brilliant uncirculated
\$ 250 |



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| 2326 | 5 Roubles 1909 Θ Б. GOLD. Fr 180, Bit 34 (R), Sev 588, Uzd 0353 (R). <i>Rare</i> . Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 66. | Gem brilliant uncirculated
\$ 1,500 |
| 2327 | 5 Roubles 1909 Θ Б. GOLD. Bit 34 (R), Fr 180, Sev 588, Uzd 0353 (R). Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 66. | Gem brilliant uncirculated
\$ 1,500 |
| 2328 | 5 Roubles 1910 Θ Б. GOLD. Fr 180, Bit 36 (R), Sev 590 (S), Uzd 355 (S). <i>Rare</i> . Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64. | Choice brilliant uncirculated
\$ 1,500 |



2329



2330



2329 **Centennial of the Napoleonic War Commemorative Rouble 1912 ЭБ.** Bit 334, Sev 4164 (R), Uzd 4200 (R). Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62.

Brilliant uncirculated \$ 3,500

2330 **Centennial of the Napoleonic War Commemorative Rouble 1912 ЭБ.** Bit 334, Sev 4164 (R), Uzd 4200 (R). Good lustre.

About uncirculated \$ 1,500



to 2x



2331



2331 **Unveiling of the Monument to Alexander III in Moscow Commemorative Rouble 1912 ЗБ.** By A. Griliches. Bit 330 (R), Sev 4165 (RR), Uzd 4199 (R). Pale white-silver with soft iridescent hues over very minor contact marks.

About uncirculated \$ 12,500



2332



2332 **Tercentenary of the Romanov Dynasty Commemorative Rouble 1913 BC.** By Mikhail Skudnov. High relief. Bit 336, Sev 4180, Uzd 4201. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58. Russet highlights.

Choice about uncirculated \$ 200



to 2x



2333

2333 **Bicentenary of the Battle of Gangut Commemorative Rouble 1914 BC.** Bit 337 (R2), Sev 4187 (RRR), Uzd 4202 (R). Some pinscratches above reverse eagle. Russet highlights. About uncirculated \$ 15,000



2334



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2334 Rouble 1896 АГ. Bit 39, Sev 4033, Uzd 2066. Satiny silver-white with hints of cobalt-blue, rimmed with mint frost. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,500

2335 Rouble 1896 *. *Paris mint*. Bit 193, Sev 4034, Uzd 2068. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62. Light golden tone. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,500

2336 Rouble 1897 **. *Brussels*. Bit 203, Sev 4044, Uzd 2078. Some obverse hairlines, prooflike fields. Uncirculated \$ 400

2337 Rouble 1898 АГ. Bit 43, Sev 4050, Uzd 2086. Pale violet gray with iridescent hues over some hairline scratches above obverse head. About uncirculated \$ 750

2338 Rouble 1899 ФЗ. Bit 47, Sev 4071, Uzd 2095. Contact marks. Silvery slate-gray with turquoise highlights. About uncirculated \$ 400



to 2x



2339



2339 Rouble 1905 AP. Bit 59 (R1), Sev 4118 (R), Uzd 2148 (R). *Rare date.*
About very fine/good very fine \$ 1,500



2340



2341



2342



2343



2340 Rouble 1911 ЗБ-АГ. Bit 65 (R), Sev 4152 (S), Uzd 2181. Has been looped. Deep lavender-gray.
Extremely fine to About uncirculated \$ 400

2341 Rouble 1912 ЭБ. Bit 66, Sev 4162, Uzd 2187. Small rim bruise and a few rim ticks.
Satin white. Uncirculated \$ 300

2342 50 Kopecks 1911 ЭБ. Bit 90, Sev 4151 (S), Uzd 2182 (S). Lustrous.
About uncirculated \$ 150

2343 25 Kopecks 1895. St. Petersburg mint. Bit 95, Sev 4024. Satiny and lustrous.
Brilliant uncirculated \$ 250

Extremely Rare Proof 25 Kopecks of 1901



to 3x



2344

- 2344 25 Kopecks 1901. Bit 99 (R2), Sev 4089 (RRRR). Authenticated and graded by PCGS PR 62. *Extremely rare* Proof only issue, approximately 150 struck. Brilliant PROOF \$ 10,000



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2348

- 2345 15 Kopecks 1917 BC. Bit 144 (R), Sev 4201 (RR), Uzd 2224. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 66. Frosty and near pristine. Very choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 250
- 2346 15 Kopecks 1917 BC. Bit 144 (R), Sev 4201 (RR), Uzd 2224. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 150
- 2347 10 Kopecks 1917 BC. Bit 170 (R), Sev 4200 (RR), Uzd 2225. Dark toned area reverse. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 150
- 2348 5 Kopecks 1913 СПб-BC. Bit 190, Sev 4168, Uzd 2206. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 65. Snowy silver-white. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 150



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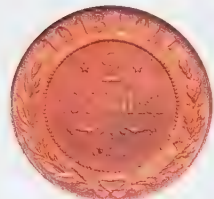
- 2349 2 Kopecks 1908 СПб. Bit 238, B 63, Uzd 3914. Authenticated and graded by PCGS PR 64 Brown. Choice brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500



to 2x



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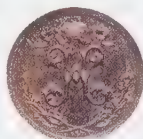


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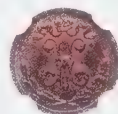
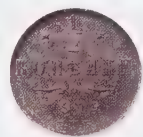
2350 2 Kopecks 1913 СПБ. A magnificent example, full mint red. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 66 RD. Superb gem PROOF \$ 1,000



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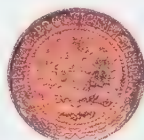
2351 2 Kopecks 1914 СПБ. Bit 244, B 69, Uzd 3942. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64 RB. Deep orange-brown. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 150

2352 1/2 Kopeck 1914 СПБ. Bit 274, B 25, Uzd 3944. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 63 BN. Brilliant PROOF \$ 800

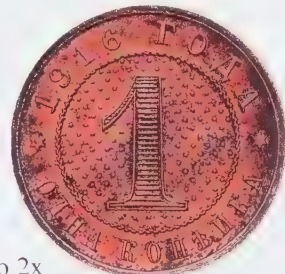
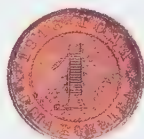
2353 1/4 Kopeck 1898 СПБ. Birmingham mint. Bit 297, B 5, Uzd 3881. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 65 RB. Toned a rich claret-brown. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 150



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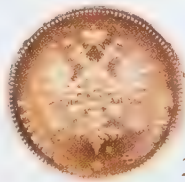


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2354 PATTERN 1 Kopeck 1916. St. Petersburg mint. Bit 372 (R3), B 1, Uzd 3960. Rarest variety with reverse pelleted field. Toned. Uncirculated \$ 25,000



2355



2356



2355 Token. Russian Steam Navigation & Commerce Co. 25 Kopecks, nd. Lead. 4.06 gm. Ship sailing left, French legend around / '25 KOP' within wreath. Rare and apparently unpublished. A few reverse hairlines, otherwise. Choice uncirculated \$ 500

Ex "The New York Sale" XXI, Jan. 8, 2009, New York, lot 1358.

Russo-Finnish coinage

2356 20 Markkaa 1913 S. Bit 391, Uzd 4821 (R). Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 66. Gem brilliant uncirculated \$ 500

Medals of Nicholas II



2357



2357 Medal. Bronze. 57 mm. By N. Kozin. **Imperial Caucasian Agricultural Society, 18(95). Prize Medal.** Diakov 1188.2 (R1), Sm 1080/b. Farmer plowing field with yoke of oxen l., sun rising behind / ЗА ПОЛЕЗНОЕ 18— within wreath adorned with agricultural implements, initials H.K. at bottom. Glossy caramel-brown.

Uncirculated

\$ 350

Ex World Art Medals Auction, 'Russian Medals', Part III, Philadelphia 1981, lot 756.



2358



2359



2358

2358 Medal. Silver. 70.5 mm., By F. Vernon. **For the Visit of the Russian Squadron to France, 1896.** Diakov 1215.1 (R1). France, standing on the shore, a cherub holding the Russian flag behind her, welcomes ships sailing in the distance / Russian flag flying above an anchor, cannon with shells and oak branch, the sea on the background. Matte surfaces, attractive types. About uncirculated

\$ 500

2359 Plaque. Silvered Lead. Uniface. 100x61 mm. Unsigned. **Les Cinq Journées Russe – Visit of Nicholas II and Alexandra Feodorovna to France, 1896.** Within ornate frame, France welcomes a small figure holding the Russian flag; to the right Nicholas II, clad in a Cossack uniform, a *khinjal* in his belt, looks on, the French president and the tsarina beside him; military review in the background left. Felt-backed. A pleasing and unusual piece. Uncirculated

\$ 750



2360



2360

Medal. Bronze. 67.5 mm. By M. Skudnov. **Centennial of the Birth of Alexander Pushkin, 1899. Prize Medal of the Imperial Academy of Sciences.** Diakov 1289.1, Sm 1159. Head l. of the great Romanticist writer / Four-line legend above montage of lit altar, palm, laurel branches, mask, lyre, pen and inkwell. Soft orange highlights. About uncirculated

\$ 400



2361



2361

Medal. Bronze. 63 mm. By A. Vasyutinsky. **200th Anniversary of the Naval Cadets Corps, 1901.** Diakov 1327.1, Sm 1215. Conjoined heads l. of Peter the Great and Nicholas II / Neptune, holding trident with both hands, reclining l. on dais inscribed with school legend, laurel and oak branches resting on its face. Extremely fine

\$ 400



2362



2362

Medal. Bronze. 65.5 mm. By A. Vasyutinsky. **Centennial of the Page Corps, 1902.** Diakov 1366.1, Sm 1255. Nicholas II head l. / Laureate head of Alexander I r. Café au lait, a few tiny dirt spots. About uncirculated

\$ 500



2364

2364

Medal. Bronze. 45.9 mm. Unsigned. **International Photography Exhibition, Moscow 1901. Prize Medal of the Moscow Artistic Photography Society, Awarded 1908.** Diakov 1339.1 (R2), Sm--. Muse, holding laurel branch, seated atop a plinth inscribed with the name of the society / Society's name around, engraved in the center: МОСКВА МЕЖДУНАРОДНАЯ ФОТОГРАФИЧЕСКАЯ ВЫСТАВКА 1908. *A rare and charming medal that is seldom encountered.*

Choice extremely fine

\$ 500



2365

2365

Medal. Bronze. 64 mm. Unsigned (by A. Vasyutinsky). **200th Anniversary of St. Petersburg, 1903.** Diakov 1370.2 (R1). Laureate head of Peter the Great I. / Russia standing in clouds, beneath a radiant star, holding wreath and shield emblazoned with the Imperial eagle, below is a city panorama.

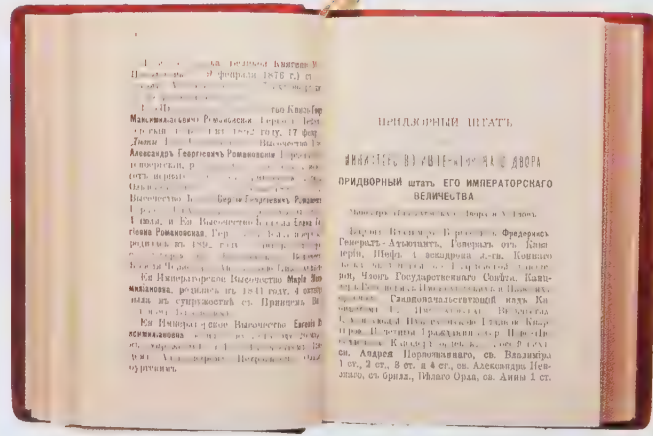
Extremely fine

\$ 400

*Unique and Important Set of Personal, Medals and Court Effects of
Count Vladimir B. Frederiks, Minister of the Imperial Household (1897-1917)*



2366 (lot of 7)



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Son Altesse Impériale: le Grand Duc Héritier
 Alexis Nikolaïevitch
 et
 Le Comte Frédérickss.
 Ministre de la Cour
 Impériale de Russie

 Yacht Impérial
 "Standart"

2366 (lot of 7)



2366

Set of 7 items:

1) Medal. Bronze. 60.3 mm. By A. Griliches, Jr. **In Honor of V.B. Frederiks 50 Years of Service, 1908.** Diakov 1446.1 (R1), Sm 1375. Uniformed bust of Frederiks r. / Anniversary dates with five-line legend at center. Trivial reverse deposits. Choice about uncirculated

2) Presentation Medal. Gilt Bronze. By A. Griliches, Jr. **In Honor of V.B. Frederiks 50 Years of Service, 1908.** Cf. Diakov 1446.1 (unlisted in Gilt). Types as last. Uncirculated

3) Miniature framed obverse and reverse illustrations of the medals above. Pebbled, turquoise deluxe leather covers; maker's imprint in gold letters on back: "A. Peterson, Demidov Court 9, St. Petersburg. Inset, beveled glass panes over meticulous illustrations at left and right – the illustrations possibly by Griliches. Very well preserved

4) A second miniature framed medal illustrations 'album' as above. Very well preserved

5) Imperial Russian Court Calendar for the Year 1910. 4 x 5 1/2 inches. Deluxe veined, green leather covers with raised black wood framing and gold imprint "1910" on spine; gold-edged pages. Important church and court dates with individual pages and appropriate space for notes. Private pencil notations in French on some of the pages. Very well preserved

6) Directory and Protocol of the Imperial Russia Court for the Year 1911. 4 1/2 x 5 3/4 inches. Red leather covers; gold imprint: "(Imperial eagle) Придворный КАЛЕНДАРЬ 1911" on front, repeated on spine; gold-edged pages. Very well preserved.

7) Framed black & white photo of the Tsarevich Alexei Nikolaevich with Count Frederiks. 7 x 5 7/8" matted and in contemporary frame. Set aboard the Imperial yacht *Standart*, the Count, uniformed and festooned with Orders and decorations, stands next to the young Romanov heir apparent, who wears a sailor's uniform. Inscribed in French on the back. The photo pristine, the frame missing part of lower border at right, otherwise. well-preserved (Lot of 7, only 6 illustrated) \$ 6,000

Provenance: from the family of the late Count V.B. Frederiks. The Finno-Russian statesman, Vladimir Borisovich Frederiks (Adolf Andreas Woldemar Fredericks; 1838-1927), was appointed in 1897, at the age of 60, Imperial Household Minister. Praised by the French ambassador as "the very personification of court life," Frederiks held his position until the abdication of Nicholas II in 1917. He was responsible for the administration of the Imperial family's personal affairs and living arrangements, as well as the awarding of Imperial honors and medals. During the March Revolution, Frederiks' home was pillaged and destroyed by fire. He lived in Petrograd until 1924 when he was allowed to go to Finland, where he spent the remaining years of his life



2367

2367 Medal. Silver. 51.3 mm. 64.42 gm. Unsigned. **Imperial Don-Kuban-Terek Society of Agriculture, n.d. (1908-1909). Prize Medal.** Diakov 1471.1 (R3). Nicholas II head l. within wreath / Imperial eagle, Society legend around. Matte finish. Uncirculated

\$ 1,000



2368

2368 Medal. Bronze. 60 mm. By uncertain and Stefano Johnson. **On the Death of Pyotr A. Stolypin, 1911.** Diakov 1518.2 (R1), Sm--. Bust l. of the Minister of Internal Affairs, signed 'Ximenes' (?) lower right / Four-line legend by laurel branches, signed S. JOHNSON lower left. *Rare*. About uncirculated

\$ 600



2369

2369 Medal. Bronze. 76.5 mm. By A. Vasyutinsky. **Centennial of the Alexandrovsky Lyceum, 1911.** Diakov 1521.1 (R1), Sm 1443. Nicholas II bust l. above Lyceum, signed М. ДИЛЛОНЪ under groundline / Laureate head of Alexander I l., church before, lyre behind, signed М. ДИЛЛОНЪ at right. Matte finish.

Extremely fine

\$ 600

Numismatic-related Medals



2370

- 2370 Medal. Copper-nickel. 30 mm. Unsigned. **To Commemorate the Opening of the Numismatic Trade Company 'Moneti i Medali' by I.M. Kholodkovsky in St. Petersburg, 1907.** Four-line legend on scroll, legend around / МОНЕТЫ И МЕДАЛИ, legend around. Speckled toning obverse. Extremely fine \$ 250



2371

- 2371 Medal. Silver . 26 mm. By the firm of Auguste Jacquard, St. Petersburg. **In honor of Count I.I. Tolstoy's 30 Years as a Numismatist, 1912.** Diakov 1537.1 (R3), JRNS No. 57, Summer 1995, p.53; Sm--. Bespectacled Tolstoy bust l., uncertain signature on truncation / Four-line legend and date, legend around. , initials A.Ж. right below. *In a contemporary advertisement in Migunov's catalog, Russian numismatist B.F. Kopylov offers Silver versions of this medal for 5 Roubles and Bronze for 2 Roubles 50 Kopecks.* Lightly toned. Uncirculated \$ 400

Statesman and archaeologist, Count Ivan Ivanovich (1858-1916) was the foremost numismatist and collector of his generation. His works on early Russian and Pre-Petrine coinage were major contributions to Russian numismatics, while his coin collection formed a cornerstone for the field.



2372

- 2372 Medal. Aluminum. 35.3 mm. Unsigned. **On the Founding of the Russian Society of Numismatists, 1911.** JRNS No. 57, Summer 1995, p.52; Diakov 1524.1. Four-line inscription on a garnished tablet / Four-line legend with foundation date March 8, 1911. Rare. Choice about uncirculated \$ 400

The famous contemporary dealer-collector B.F. Kopylov sold the Aluminum medals for 2 Roubles, the Silver for 5 Roubles and the Bronze for 2 Roubles 50 Kopecks at the time.

Russian Numismatic Society Medals



2373 (lot of 2)

- 2373 Pair of Medals. Silver and Bronze. 32.7 mm. By the firm of Auguste Jacquard, St. Petersburg, engraved by G. Malyshev. **"To the Heroic and Noble Belgian Nation," 1914.** Diakov 1581.1 (R1), JRNS No. 57, Summer 1995, p.59. Lion l. trampling German banner, signed A. ЖАКАРЪ below / Ten-line legend in French and Russian. Extremely fine-about uncirculated (Set of 2) \$ 500

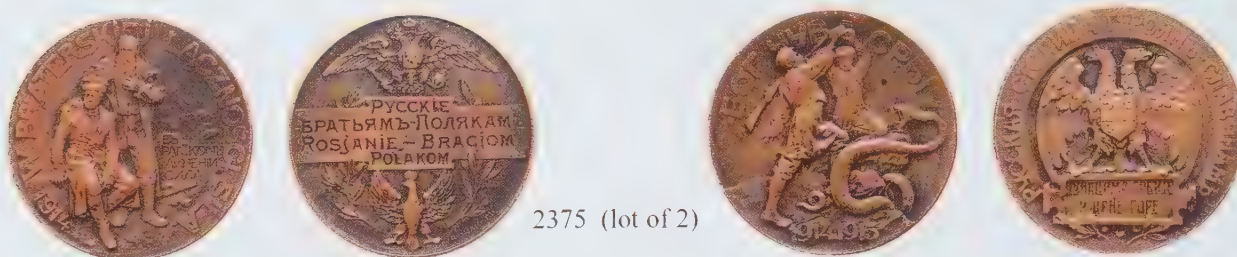


2374 (lot of 2)

- 2374 Pair of Medals. Silver and Bronze. 24 mm. By the firm of Auguste Jacquard, St. Petersburg, engraved by G. Malyshev. **“To the Heroic and Noble Belgian Nation, the Respect of Its Russian Admirers,” 1914.** Diakov 1581.1 (R1), *JRNS* No. 57, Summer 1995, p.59. Lion l. trampling German banner / Seven-line Russian. Integral loop. The silver with some hairlines.

Extremely fine and About very fine (Lot of 2)

\$ 300



2375 (lot of 2)

- 2375 Pair of Medals. Bronze. 32.5 mm. By the firm of Auguste Jacquard, St. Petersburg, engraved by G. Malyshev. **Russian Salute to their Polish Brothers, 1914 and Russia – “To the Serbian People,” 1915.** Diakov 1582.1 (R1) and 1583.1 (R1); *JRNS* No. 57, Summer 1995, p.59-60. Seated Pole and standing Russian / Four-line legend on placard, Russian Imperial eagle above, Polish eagle below. Two soldiers killing a serpent (representing Austria) with a stone and rifle butt / Two-headed Serbian eagle, two-line inscription below.

Extremely fine-about uncirculated (Lot of 2)

\$ 500



2376

- 2376 Charity Medal. Bronze. 39.3 mm. By the firm of Auguste Jacquard, St. Petersburg, engraved by G. Malyshev. **The Russian Soldier, Pride of Russia, 1915.** Diakov 1585.3 (R3), *JRNS* No. 57, Summer 1995, p.57; Sm--. Bust of soldier $\frac{3}{4}$ r. wearing overcoat and fur hat / Within wreath: Four-line legend, dates 1914-1915 below; **КРАСНОМУ КРЕСТУ РОССИЙСКОЕ ОБЩЕСТВО НУМИЗМАТОВЪ** (*To the Red Cross from the Russian Numismatic Society*) around. *Very rare.* Extremely fine

\$ 400



2377 (lot of 2)

- 2377 Pair of Charity Medals. Silver and Bronze. 33 mm. By the firm of Auguste Jacquard, St. Petersburg, engraved by G. Malyshev. **The Russian Soldier, Pride of Russia, 1915.** Diakov 1585.1 (R1), *JRNS* No. 57, Summer 1995, p.57; Sm--. Bust of soldier $\frac{3}{4}$ r. wearing overcoat and fur hat / Within wreath four-line legend, dates 1914-1915 and P.O.H. (*Russian Numismatic Society*) below.

Extremely fine (Lot of 2)

\$ 400

Ten percent of the gross receipts for the sale of “The Russian Soldier” medals went to the St. Eugenia Community and the rest to the Red Cross.

A Select Offering of Rare Imperial Porcelain Factory Medals

Trio of Patriotic War 1812-1912 Medals in Porcelain



2378



- 2378 Medal. "Biscuit" Porcelain. 57 mm. *Imperial Porcelain Factory, St. Petersburg.* Unsigned. **Centennial of the Patriotic War, 1912 – Alexander I.** Laureate bust of Alexander I right. Incuse АЛЕКСАНДРЪ I on back manufacture mark with green Nicholas II cipher and date "1912" above. *Rare.*

Very well preserved and problem free

\$ 350



2379



- 2379 Medal. "Biscuit" Porcelain. 56.5 mm. *Imperial Porcelain Factory, St. Petersburg.* Unsigned. **Centennial of the Patriotic War, 1912 – Fieldmarshal, Count M.B. Barclay de Tolly.** Uniformed bust left of the Count. Incuse ВАРКЛАИ ДЕ ТОЛЛИ on back manufacture mark with green Nicholas II cipher and date "1912" above. *Rare.*

Very well preserved and problem free.

\$ 350



2380



- 2380 Medal. "Biscuit" Porcelain. 56 mm. *Imperial Porcelain Factory, St. Petersburg.* Unsigned. **Centennial of the Patriotic War, 1912 – Fieldmarshal Mikhail I. Golenishchev-Kutuzov.** Uniformed bust left of the illustrious military officer and diplomat. Incuse КУТУЗОВЪ on back manufacture mark with green Nicholas II cipher and date "1912" above. *Rare.*

Very well preserved and problem free

\$ 350

Colossal Romanov Tercentenary Porcelain Medal



2381

2381 Medal. "Biscuit" Porcelain. 6 7/8 inches (17.5 cm). *Imperial Porcelain Factory, St. Petersburg*. By A.K. Timoos (1865-1917). **On the 300th Anniversary of the House of Romanov, 1913.** Cf. *Geraldika na russkom farfore*, St. Petersburg 2008, p.147. Portraits of Mikhail Romanov on left and Nicholas II at right, radiant *Monomakh* cap and Nicholas cipher between, Imperial eagle below, all within a wreath broken at the top by the anniversary dates. Marked with the crowned cipher of Nicholas II and date 1913 in dark green on the back. *Very rare*. Two integral holes, as made, from edge through back for suspension or display stand. In plush-lined, fitted wood case.

Impressive, and problem free

\$ 5,000

During the 1913 celebrations, these medals were presented in the name of the emperor as gifts.

A very specialized offering of early Soviet Coinage

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to 3x



2382



to 3x

2382 1 Chervonetz 1923 ПЛ. GOLD. Fr 181,Y.85. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 62. *Of the Highest Rarity as a Proof.* Brilliant PROOF \$ 25,000

1921



to 2x



2383



to 2x

2383 Rouble 1921 АГ. Y. 84. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 67. Stunning violet-gray with tungsten-blue highlights, a superlative example. Gem brilliant PROOF \$ 5,000

Ex "Russian Collection," Renaissance, Philadelphia, August 13-14, 2000, lot 978 (part)



to 2x



2384



to 2x

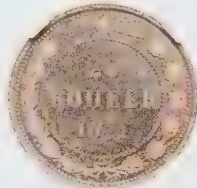
2384 50 Kopecks 1921 АГ. Y.83. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 66. Snowy silver-white tone on mirrorlike fields. Gem brilliant PROOF \$ 2,500
Ex "Russian Collection," Renaissance, Philadelphia, August 13-14, 2000, lot 978 (part)



to 2x



2385

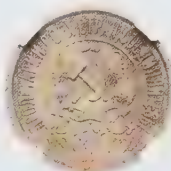


to 2x

2385 20 Kopecks 1921. Y.82. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 65. Blazing lustre. Very choice brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500
Ex "Russian Collection," Renaissance, Philadelphia, August 13-14, 2000, lot 978 (part)



to 2x



2386

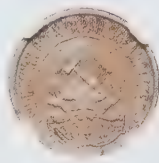


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2386 15 Kopecks 1921. Y.81. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 66. Lustrous pale lavender-gray with hints of blue. Gem brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500
Ex "Russian Collection," Renaissance, Philadelphia, August 13-14, 2000, lot 978 (part)



to 2x



2387



to 2x

2387 10 Kopecks 1921. Y.80. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 66. Bold edges and borders; pale slate-gray with a lustrous white and blue undertone. Gem brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500
Ex "Russian Collection," Renaissance, Philadelphia, August 13-14, 2000, lot 978 (part)



- 2388 Rouble 1922 ПЛ. Y.84. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62. Light lilac-gray with turquoise and golden highlights. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 150
- 2389 50 Kopecks 1922 ПЛ. Y.83. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 65. Satiny white silver with russet hues, bold lustre; crisp strike. Very choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 150



- 2390 50 Kopecks 1922 АГ. Y.83. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 63. Blazing fields with hints of lilac. Choice brilliant PROOF \$ 1,000



- 2391 20 Kopecks 1922. Y.82. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62. Pale russet highlights, lustrous. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 100



- 2392 10 Kopecks 1922. Y.80. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 66. Shimmering silver white. Gem brilliant PROOF \$ 1,000

Ex Hesselgesser Collection, Ira & Larry Goldberg Sale, Beverly Hills, June 7, 2000, lot 5909



2393



2393 50 Kopecks 1922 ПЛ. Y.83. Double edged. Rare error. Hairlines. About very fine. \$ 250



2394

to 2x

to 2x

2394 PATTERN 20 Kopecks 1922. Aluminum-Bronze. 2.76 gm. Kaim P 101 – this coin! Ushakov / Fedorin - 470 (R5) - this coin! “D” punched out from center, rectangular clip and triangular clip – all mint cancellation devices to prevent this pattern from finding its way into circulation. A fascinating piece of early Soviet numismatic history and **unique**. Very fine \$ 3,000

1923



2395

2396

2397

to 2x

to 2x

2395 20 Kopecks 1923. Y.82. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 66. Superb strike and lustre. Gem brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500

Ex Hesselgesser Collection, Ira & Larry Goldberg Sale, Beverly Hills, June 7, 2000, lot 5910

2396 15 Kopecks 1923. Y.81. Authenticated and graded by PCGS PR 66. Blazing, snowy silver-white. Gem brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500

2397 10 Kopecks 1923. Y.80. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 66. Mirrorlike and pristine. Gem brilliant PROOF \$ 1,000

Ex Hesselgesser Collection, Ira & Larry Goldberg Sale, Beverly Hills, June 7, 2000, lot 5912

USSR

1924



to 2x



2398 A1



to 2x

2398 Pattern Rouble 1924. Aluminum. Plain edge. Kaim P 148, KM Pn176, Shel p.16. Extremely rare early Soviet Pattern. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS61. Pale gray with lustre. Uncirculated \$ 5,000
Ex Numismatica Genevensis V Sale, Dec. 2 & 3, 2008, Geneva, lot 1246



2399



2400



2399 Rouble 1924 ПЛ. Fed 11, Y 90. Satiny tone with good lustre. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 200
 2400 Rouble 1924 ПЛ. Fed 11, Y 90. Soft gray over lustre tone. Choice uncirculated \$ 200



to 2x



2401

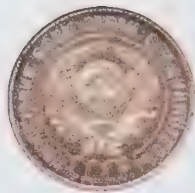


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2401 50 Kopecks 1924 ПЛ. Y.89. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 66. Lovely soft gray tone with speckles of silver and gold iridescence and hints of cobalt blue Gem brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500
Ex Hesselgesser Collection, Ira & Larry Goldberg Sale, Beverly Hills, June 7, 2000, lot 5919



to 2x



2402



to 2x

2402 20 Kopecks 1924. Y.88. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 66. Blazing lustre on pristine, mirrorlike fields. Gem brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500

Ex Hesselgesser Collection, Ira & Larry Goldberg Sale, Beverly Hills, June 7, 2000, lot 5922.

Ex "Jascha Heifetz Collection (Part 2)," Superior Galleries, New York, Dec. 9-10, 1989, lot 2184 (part)



to 2x



2403



to 2x

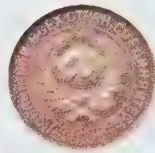
2403 15 Kopecks 1924. Y.87. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 65. Radiant silvery gray with hints of lilac. Very choice brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500

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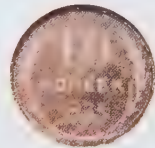
Ex "Jascha Heifetz Collection (Part 2)," Superior Galleries, New York, Dec. 9-10, 1989, lot 2184 (part)



to 2x



2404



to 2x

2404 10 Kopecks 1924. Y.86. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 65. Lustrous pale hematite with hints of gold. Very choice brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500

Ex Hesselgesser Collection, Ira & Larry Goldberg Sale, Beverly Hills, June 7, 2000, lot 5926.

Ex "Jascha Heifetz Collection (Part 2)," Superior Galleries, New York, Dec. 9-10, 1989, lot 2185



to 2x



2405



to 2x

2405 5 Kopecks 1924. Reeded edge. Fed 1924-6 (R5), Y.79. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 65 RB. *Only a handful of reeded edge 5 Kopecks are known in any grade. Extremely rare.* Mostly Mint red, meticulous strike. Very choice brilliant PROOF \$ 20,000



2406



2407



2408



2406 3 Kopecks 1924. Plain edge. Y.78. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 66 RB. Red brown. Gem brilliant uncirculated \$ 250
 2407 2 Kopecks 1924. Reeded edge. Y.77. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64 RB. Red brown. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 200
 2408 1 Kopeck 1924. Reeded edge. Y.76. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 RB. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 200

1925



to 2x



2409



to 2x

2409 20 Kopecks 1925. Y.88. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 65. Satiny silver-gray with hints of violet. Very choice brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500
Ex Hesselgesser Collection, Ira & Larry Goldberg Sale, Beverly Hills, June 7, 2000, lot 5928



2410 15 Kopecks 1925. Y.87. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 66. Blazing silver-gray. Gem brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500

Ex Hesselgesser Collection, Ira & Larry Goldberg Sale, Beverly Hills, June 7, 2000, lot 5929

2411 10 Kopecks 1925. Y.86. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 65. Pale lilac gray on lustrous, mirrorlike fields. Very choice brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500

Ex Hesselgesser Collection, Ira & Larry Goldberg Sale, Beverly Hills, June 7, 2000, lot 5930



2412 50 Kopecks 1926 ПЛ. Y.89. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 65. Lustrous lavender-gray with light gold and tungsten blue hues. Very choice brilliant PROOF \$ 2,500

Ex Hesselgesser Collection, Ira & Larry Goldberg Sale, Beverly Hills, June 7, 2000, lot 5931.

Ex "Jascha Heifetz Collection (Part 2)," Superior Galleries, New York, Dec. 9-10, 1989, lot 2187 (with original tag)



2413 50 Kopecks 1927 ПЛ. Y.89. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 65. Lilac-blue gray with gold and violet iridescent hues. Very choice brilliant PROOF \$ 2,500

Ex Hesselgesser Collection, Ira & Larry Goldberg Sale, Beverly Hills, June 7, 2000, lot 5936



to 2x



2414



to 2x

2414 15 Kopecks 1927. Y.87. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63. Rich deep medium gray. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 100



to 2x



2415



to 2x

2415 10 Kopecks 1927. Y.86. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 64. Radiant, snowy silver-white. Very choice brilliant PROOF \$ 1,000

Ex "Alicia and Sid Belzberg Collection," Stack's, Rosemont, IL, April 24, 2008, lot 1120 (with tag)



to 2x



2416



2416 PATTERN 5 Roubles 1956. Copper-nickel. 16.81 gm. Ushakov/Fedorin 379 – this coin, Kaim p. 267 – this coin. **Unique.** Brilliant uncirculated \$ 30,000

Ex Gorny & Mosch "Russland Sale," München, 19-20 March 2008, lot 6043 (comes with tag).

"Монеты Страны Советов," D.Ushakov and A. Fedorin, Moscow, 2009, p.159, #379 – this coin.

Russland Serie-Spezial, Band I.A, Die Probemünzen der UdSSR 1921-1983," Reinhold Kaim, Hagen, 1984, p.62, P 267 – this coin

Ex Sammlung Willy Fuchs, Frankfurt

USSR Mint Sets



2417 to 0.75x

- 2417 Mint Set 1966. Ten-piece set: 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 15, 20 and 50 Kopecks, 1 Rouble and Leningrad Mint token.. In original sealed mint plastic. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 200



2418 to 0.75x

- 2418 Mint Set 1967. Ten-piece set: 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 15, 20 and 50 Kopecks, 1 Rouble and Leningrad Mint token.. In original sealed mint plastic. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 200



2419 to 0.75x

- 2419 Mint Set 1968. Ten-piece set: 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 15, 20 and 50 Kopecks, 1 Rouble and Leningrad Mint token.. In original sealed mint plastic. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 200



2420 to 0.75x

2420 Mint Set 1969. Ten-piece set: 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 15, 20 and 50 Kopecks, 1 Rouble and Leningrad Mint token. KM MS10. In original sealed mint plastic.

Brilliant uncirculated

\$ 200



2421 to 0.75x

2421 Mint Set 1970. Ten-piece set: 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 15, 20 and 50 Kopecks, 1 Rouble and Leningrad Mint token. KM MS11. In original sealed mint plastic. *Very rare* and the rarest of modern Soviet mint sets.

Brilliant uncirculated

\$ 500



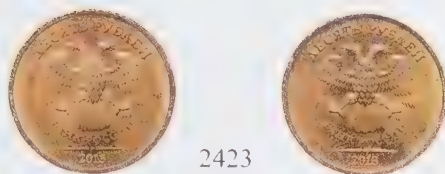
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2422 Lot of Roubles, nearly all Proof: 22 different, 1965-1989. Mostly in original mint blister plastic. Some Novodels, some mishandled. Should be seen.

Brilliant PROOF (Lot of 22).

\$ 500

MODERN ERRORS



2423

2423 Russian Federation. 10 Roubles 2013. Moscow mint. Struck with two obverses. Brilliant uncirculated. \$ 300



2424

2424 Russian Federation. 10 Roubles 2014. St.Petersburg Mint. **Military Glory. Tichvin.** Reverse double strike, about 50% of the reverse repeated at right. Struck without a collar. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 300



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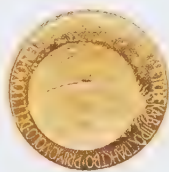
2425 Russian Federation. 10 Roubles 2014. St.Petersburg Mint. Bi-metallic. **Ingushetia.** Off-center obverse and reverse, 25-30%. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 300



to 3x



2426



to 3x

2426 Medal 1961. GOLD (.800). 22 mm. 6.9 gm. **Yuri Gagarin – Orbit of the Earth aboard the Vostok, April 12, 1961.** Bust $\frac{3}{4}$ l. of the famed cosmonaut / The Vostok orbiting the earth, stamped '800' and hallmark above. Light friction hair-lines in field. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 900

IMPERIAL RUSSIA

ORDERS

IMPERIAL ORDER OF ST. ANDREW FIRST CALLED



3001

3001 **Order of St. Andrew First Called. Chain (part). Set of 3 chain-links.** Ca. 1863 - 1882. St. Petersburg. By J. Keibel. Gold. 8.4 cm. 57.5 gm. Mark of Keibel with the Imperial Warrant, St. Petersburg. 1st Medallion – Imperial Russian Eagle with Moscow Coat of Arms (out of 7 in a full chain). 2nd Medallion – Rosette with St. Andrew Cross and four letters – **S**(aint) **A**(ndrew) **P**(antron) (of) **R**(ussia) (out of 6 in a full chain).. 3rd Medallion – Military trophies with Cipher of Peter I the Great in a center (out of 4 in a full chain). A relatively inexpensive representation of the classical Imperial Russian Award series.

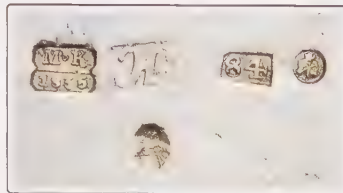
Condition:

Chains are disconnected. Minimal wear. Nice and problems free

\$ 30,000



3002



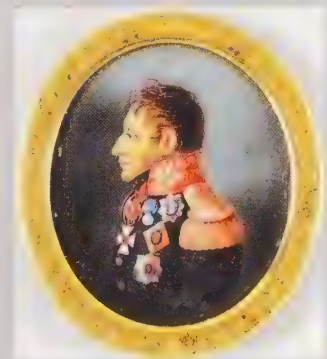
3002 **Presentation Snuff Box to Count Alexander Ivanovich Ostermann-Tolstoy in honor of his being awarded the Order of St. Andrew, July 3 1835.** Silver, light gilt. 58.7 mm around. 67.1 gm. Dated July 3, 1835. (In 1835, there were only four recipients of the Order of St. Andrew, only Ostermann-Tolstoy received his on July 3.) The lid decorated with a high-relief, laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Peter the Great r., a crown, with furled ribbons, above his head, spray below. Around the box is the garlanded Motto of the Order of St. Andrew along with a depiction of the Order, the date in high-relief on a branch interwoven with ribbons below. Hallmarked on the bottom: "84", "M.K./1835", "JC" (ligate). An *Extremely rare* and important presentation box of fine workmanship.

Condition: Minor contact marks on bottom, otherwise well-preserved and Choice \$ 50,000

Граф Александр Иванович Остерман-Толстой (1770/72 — 1857)— генерал от инфантерии, герой Отечественной войны 1812 года. Участвовал в 1790 году под командованием Суворова в штурме Измаила, награждён за отличие орденом Св. Георгия 4-го класса. В феврале 1798 года Остерман-Толстой, приняв к тому времени графский титул и фамилию Остерман, произведен в генерал-майоры в возрасте 28 лет и назначен шефом Шлиссельбургского мушкетерского полка. С началом войн против Наполеона в 1805 году генерал Остерман на театре боевых действий. В 1806 году произведён в генерал-лейтенанты. 27 января (8 февраля) 1807 года участвовал в сражении при Прейсиш-Эйлау. Командуя 2-ой дивизией и всем левым флангом русской армии, он сумел сдержать удар на его позиции корпуса Даву и стал по сути спасителем всей армии. Вернулся в строй с началом Отечественной войны 1812 года.

Во время войны он командовал 4-м пехотным корпусом в 1-й Западной армии Барклая-де-Толли, отличился под Островно и при Бородино. В Бородинском сражении Остерман-Толстой участвовал в боях на батарее Раевского, был контужен, но через несколько дней вернулся в строй. В кампанию 1813 года Остерман-Толстой прославил свое имя 17 августа в блестящем бою под Кульмом, где потерял левую руку, оторванную ядром. Король Пруссии наградил Остермана Большим прусским Железным крестом, наградой, которая за всю свою историю вручалась только семь раз. Остерман вернулся в Петербург в начале 1814 года и сразу же был назначен генерал-адъютантом Александра II. В этом качестве находился до самой смерти императора. В 1816 году назначен командиром Гренадерского корпуса. В августе 1817 года получает чин генерала-от-инфантерии.

3 Июля 1835 года Высочайше пожалован Орденом Святого апостола Андрея Первозванного.



ORDER OF THE WHITE EAGLE



3003





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Set. **Civil Division.** Cross 93 by 63 mm. Gold. 85.3 gm. Hallmarked 56, Imperial eagle and maker's mark "AK" on loop and lower left eagle's claw. Star. Silver. 89.5 mm. Hallmarked "84", "Keibel", St. Petersburg warrant mark on pin and kokoshnik mark on base. Fully gilded.

Condition:

Minuscule chipping of blue enamel on ribbon.
Otherwise superb and much better than average

\$ 65,000

ORDER OF ST. VLADIMIR



3004 Cross. 3rd Class. Military Division. Gold. 45 mm. Circa end of 19th – early 20th Century. St. Petersburg. By Eduard. “ЭДУАРДЪ” and “ВД” marks on reverse, two “kokoshnik” marks on sword hilts. On collector’s ribbon.

Condition:

Choice and problem free \$ 12,500



3005 Cross. 3rd Class. Civil Division. Gold. 45.3 mm. 12.46 gm. Ca. 1880’s- 1890’s. St. Petersburg. Hallmarked 56 (14K) on loop. Maker’s mark “Д” on a low arm.

Condition:

Moderate wear, minuscule black enamel chip on reverse, otherwise problem free, impressive

\$ 8,000



to 1.5x



3006



to 1.5x

3006 Cross. 4th Class. Military Division. Gold. 34.5 mm. 9.83 gm. Ca. late 1890's. St. Petersburg. Hallmarked 56 (14K) and unclear two letters mark on loop. "Kokoshnik" marks on sword hilts. A premium "bombe"-type cross.

Condition:

Superb premium item \$ 7,500



to 1.5x



3007



to 1.5x

3007 Cross. 4th Class. Special Award for 35 Years of Long Service. Gold. 34.9 mm. 8.43 gm. Ca. late 1890's. St. Petersburg. By Eduard. Hallmarked 56 (14K) on loop. Imperial Warrant on top and "ВД" marker's marks on lower arm on reverse. Comes on collector ribbon. Rare.

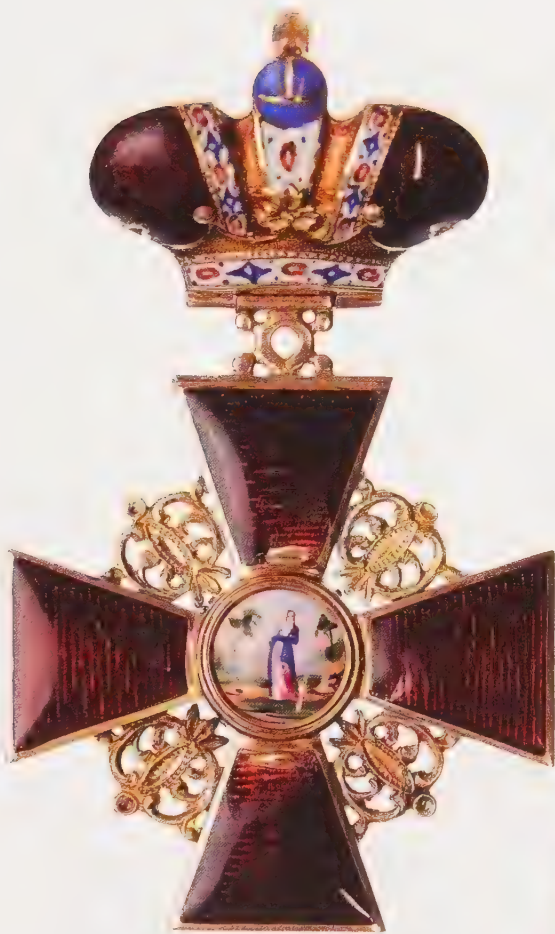
Condition:

Natural black enamel imperfections on reverse. Choice, attractive cross \$ 10,000

ORDER OF ST. ANNE



3008



to 1.5x



to 1.5x

3008

Cross. 2nd Class with Imperial Crown. Gold. Ca. 1863-1882. By Julius Keibel. Hallmarked "56" and "IK" on crown loop. Maker's mark "IK" also on lower back arm of cross, "(Imperial eagle)" on top. *A Classical Imperial Orders Rarity.*

Condition:

Enamel cracks on back of medallion and on front cross arms, and minor loss bottom arm, otherwise Nice

\$ 45,000



3009



3009 Cross. **2nd Class. Civil Division.** Gold. 44 mm. 14.18 gm. St. Petersburg. 1866. Hallmarked 56 (14K) and year mark "1866" on loop. Imperial warrant on top unclear due to dark enamel mark on bottom arms on reverse. Rare early cross of premium quality.

Condition:

Problem free. Superb

\$ 6,000



3010



to 1.5x



3010

3010 Cross. **2nd Class. Civil Division.** GOLD. 34.6 mm. 8.47 gm. Ca. 1863-1882. By Julius Keivel. St. Petersburg. Hallmarked 56 (14K) on a loop. Imperial eagle mark in top and "IK" on bottom arm on revers. Comes in case of issue with two ribbons. A premium item!

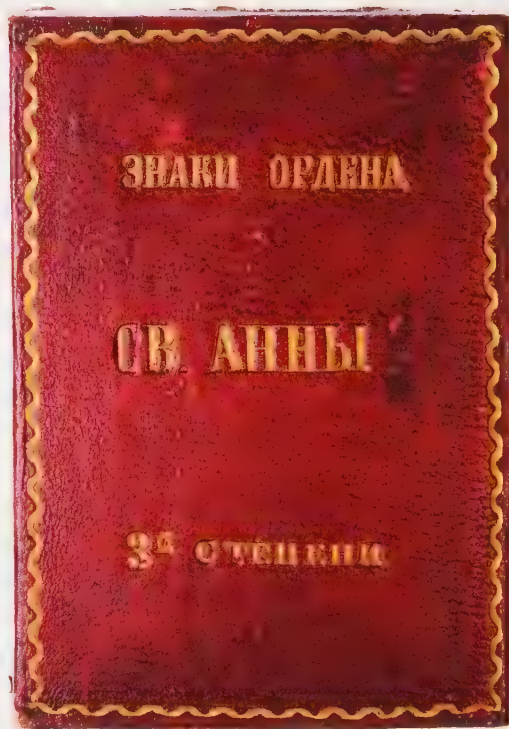
Condition:

Problem free

\$ 3,000



3011



3011 Cross. **3rd Class. Civil division.** Gold. 35 mm. Ca. 1863-1882. By Julius Keibel. Hallmarked "56" on loop. Maker's mark "IK" on lower back arm of cross. In original case of issue.

Condition:

Nice and problem free \$ 3,000

ORDER OF ST. STANISLAUS



to 2x



3012



3012

Cross. **1st Class. Military division.** Gold. 56 mm. Hallmarked "56"(14K) and maker's mark "ИВ" on loop. A magnificent cross. *Rare.* Comes on fragile piece of original ribbon

Condition:

Minimum wear, minor mottling of reverse white enamel, and small imperfections on back of swords, otherwise Nice

\$ 15,000



3013

3013 Breast Star. **Civil Division.** Silver. 90 mm. By Keibel. Hallmarked. Enamel and gold plating. Imperial Eagle mark, 84, kokoshnik and Keibel marks.

Condition:

Pin is missing \$ 3,000



3014



to 1.5x



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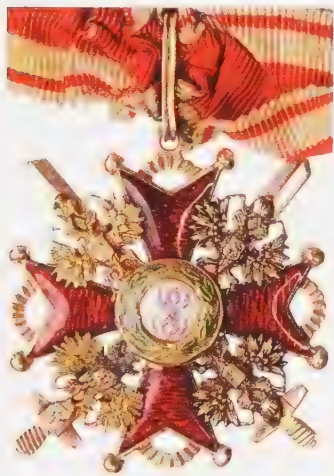
3014 Cross. **2nd Class. Civil Division.** Gold. 44 mm. Ca. 1870's – 1880's. Hallmarked 56 (14K) on a loop. Imperial eagle mark on top and "AK" makers mark on bottom arm. Comes on ribbon.

Condition:

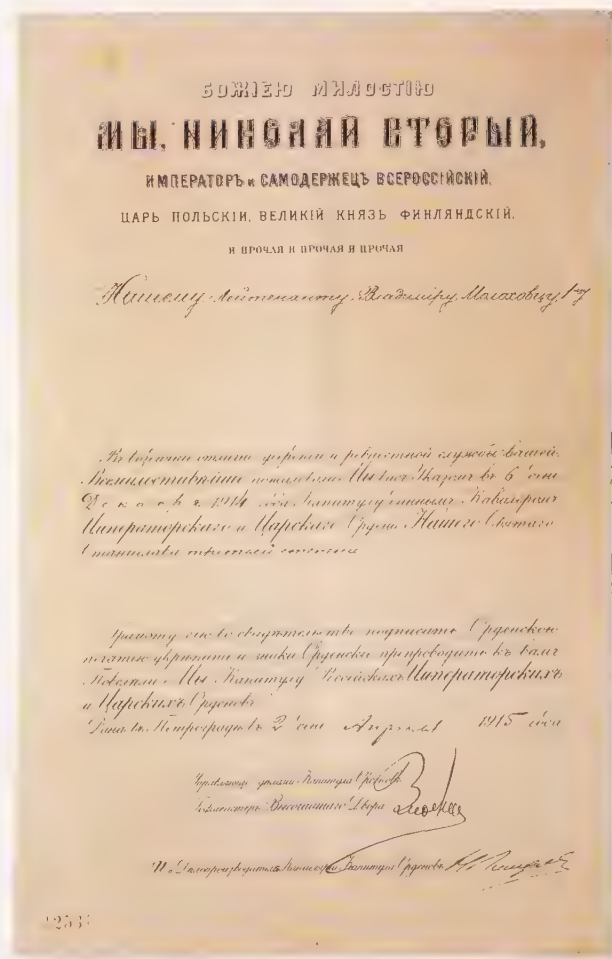
Nice and problem free \$ 2,500



3015 Cross. **3rd Class. Civil division. Flat Black Enamel type.** Ca. 1850's-1860's. Gold. 40 mm. Uncertain maker. Hallmarked "56" and unidentified mark on loop. Dark red, virtual black enamel cross both sides. *Rare.*
Condition: Choice and problem free \$ 7,500



3016



3017

3016 Cross. **3rd Class. Military Division.** Gold. 37 mm. Circa end of the 19th – early 20th Century. By Eduard. Hallmarked 56 (14K) on a loop; "ИП" and "ЭДУАРДЪ" marks on reverse. With old ribbon. The swords have been crudely added to what was a non-military cross. The primitive and archaic manner in which this addition was accomplished can only lead to the conclusion that this was done in pre-1917 Russia, apparently by the order of the recipient.
Condition: Minimal wear \$ 1,250

3017 Citation for the **Order of St. Stanislaus, 2nd Class** bestowed to Lieutenant V. Molohoftz, Sr. Issued August 2, 1915.
Condition: Twice folded, nice and clean \$ 300

A. Magnificent Diamond Pendant



3018

Russian Emerald and Diamond Imperial Eagle Pendant. Ca. 1880. 90 (including loop) by 66 mm. 48.31 gm (gross weight). Double-headed Imperial eagle pendant set with a fluted, drop-shape cabochon emerald at the center, the eagle's heads crowned by a circular, rose-cut diamond topped by a circular-cut ruby Maltese Cross. The spread wings and tail set with rose-cut diamonds, the eagle's talons hold a scepter and orb in silver and gold with rubies. All of the diamonds are present and appear original. The largest diamond is 11.8 mm x 9.7 mm x 1.7 mm tapering down to 1.7 mm diameter. The emerald is Indian-carved, drilled, with some scratches and abrasion, the orb rubies abraded. Minor contact marks commensurate with age and use, top diamond chipped, otherwise well preserved, a marvelous piece

\$ 60,000

Ex Princess Lucille Scherbatow, "Magnificent Jewels" sale, Christie's, Oct. 19, 1999, New York, lot 620

One of Russia's great old ruling families, the Scherbatows served as trusted advisors and loyal retainers to the Romanov Dynasty during the Revolutionary period. Part of the Rurik dynastic line, Princess Lucille's husband, Prince Kyril Scherbatow was a direct descendant of the Kniaz Shcherbatovy.



PROPERTY FROM THE ESTATE OF PRINCESS LUCILLE SCHERBATOW

Born in 1915 to a prominent family in upstate New York, Lucille was educated at fashionable boarding and finishing schools in France, England and the East Coast of the United States. She lived most of her life in New York. She also owned a house in Bermuda, where she met Prince Kyril Scherbatow, an international businessman. The two were married in 1970 and made their homes in Bermuda and New York. The couple was active in New York society and various Russian organizations, including the Tolstoy Foundation and the Russian Nobility Society, of which Prince Kyril's brother Alexis was president.

The Scherbatow family is one of the great old ruling families of Russia. Part of the Rurik Dynasty, which preceded the Romanov Dynasty and ruled Russia from the 9th century through the end of the 16th century, the late Prince Kyril Scherbatow (1903-1993), Princess Lucille Scherbatow's husband, was a direct descendant of the Kniaz Shcherbatovy (old Russian for Grand Duke). Highly respected and renowned for their great wealth, members of the Scherbatow family were trusted advisors and loyalists to the Romanov Dynasty through the Russian Revolution.

620 AN ANTIQUE RUSSIAN EMERALD AND DIAMOND DOUBLE EAGLE PENDANT
Set with a fluted drop-shaped cabochon emerald comprising the body of a double-headed eagle, crowned by a circular rose-cut diamond and circular-cut ruby Maltese cross, extending a pair of rose-cut diamond wings, and two hands holding a scepter and a royal orb, mounted in silver and gold, *ca.* 1880
Estimate: \$10,000-15,000



620

621 AN ANTIQUE DIAMOND AND GOLD RING
Set with a rose-cut diamond flanked by rose-cut diamond trefol motifs within a rose-cut diamond and yellow gold bombé mounting, *ca.* 1860
Estimate: \$15,000-20,000

622 AN ANTIQUE PAIR OF DIAMOND EAR STUDS WITH COACH COVERS
Each set with a rose-cut diamond, enhanced by Bruescan Revival snap-on gold covers, mounted in silver and gold, *ca.* 1830 (2)
Estimate: \$12,000-15,000

LITERATURE
For an illustration of similar ear studs see: Fales, Martha Gandy, "Jewelry in America: 1600-1910", Antique Collectors' Club Ltd., Woodbridge, Suffolk, 1993, p. 313

623 AN EXQUISITE ANTIQUE DIAMOND SINGLE STONE RING
Set with a rose-cut diamond, to the gold flower and rose-cut diamond pistil shoulders, mounted in silver and gold, *ca.* 1810
Estimate: \$20,000-25,000

624 AN ELEGANT DIAMOND SINGLE STONE RING
Set with a cut cornered rectangular-cut diamond weighing approximately 13.35 cts., flanked on each side by a baguette-cut diamond, mounted in platinum.
With certificate 10663541 from the Gemological Institute of America stating that the diamond is H color (near colorless) and I-VS2, accompanied by a working diagram indicating that the stone may be potentially Flawless.
Estimate: \$150,000-200,000

Intriguing Imperial Chamberlain Decoration



3019

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Russian Parcel Gilt Chamberlain's Key. Period of Alexander I (1801-1825). 142 mm (5 ½ inches). On the breast of the Imperial eagle, which forms the key's head, is the crowned Imperial cypher of Alexander I; atop the ribbed, fluted stem, the key bit is done in the form of a cross. Set in later-made, plush-lined, fitted case. *Rare* and very popular court Decoration. The loop bar on the back has been removed, torch burns near the shanks. Contact marks on plain back. Otherwise very well preserved

\$ 5,000

The Imperial Office of the Chamberlain was a very lofty ceremonial post, and the symbolic key was the official token designating the holder.

БОЖІЕЮ МИЛОСТІЮ
МЫ АЛЕКСАНДРЪ ВТОРЫЙ,
 ИМПЕРАТОРЪ И САМОДЕРЖЕЦЪ
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 ВЕЛИКИЙ КНЯЗЬ ФИНЛЯНДСКИЙ,
 И ПРОЧІЯ И ПРОЧІЯ И ПРОЧІЯ

Нашему 11^{му} Стрѣльковому Баталіону

Въ ознаменованіе особеннаго Милостию означеннаго Нашему за оказаннымъ подвигомъ мужества и храбрости 4^{мъ} нумера 11^{го}, стрѣльковима баталіономъ при оборонѣ Севастополя въ 1854 и 1855 годахъ, Всемилостивѣйше пожаловали Мы баталіону сему, приказомъ 30 Августа 1856^{го} года, Георгиевское знамя, съ надписью: „За Севастополь въ 1854 и 1855 годахъ“. По всемъ вѣдѣнію знамя сіе, освятивъ по установленію употребляетъ на

судрбу Намъ и Стелесту съ
 еярностию и честию Российскому
 воинству еяиотвеннымъ.

(Signature)

3^{го} Декабря 1858 года *(С. П. Петербургъ)*

(Seal)

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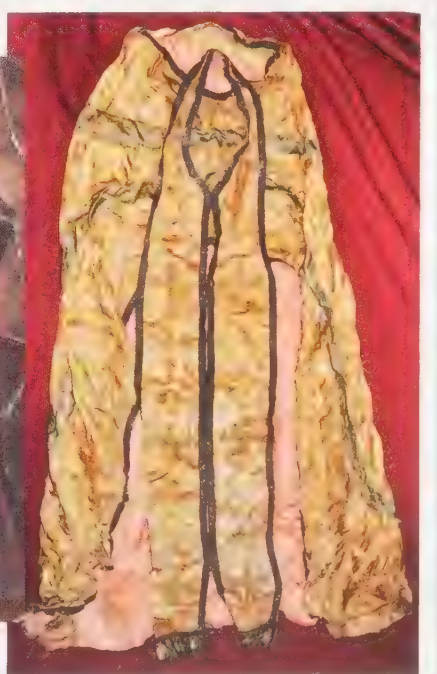
Warrant for the St. George Honorary Banner to the 11th Rifle Battalion for the defense of Sevastopol during 1854 and 1855. Granted on August 30, 1856. Hand signed by Alexander II on December 3, 1858 in St. Petersburg. Seal affixed. An extremely rare document of historical importance. Signed: *Alexander*.

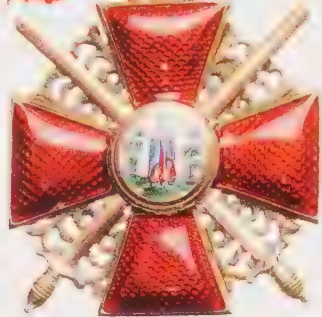
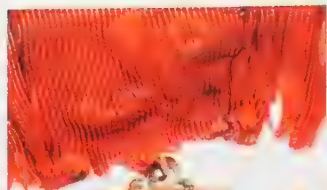
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Seal has been chipped, twice folded, otherwise well preserved

\$ 10,000

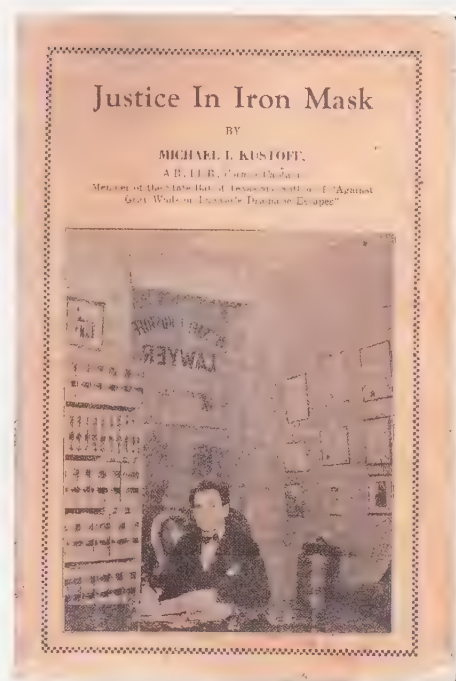
*Personal items, awards, uniforms, documents, paraphernalia
of a Russian Kuban Cossack*





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3021 Personal effects of Michael Ivanovich Kustoff

Born in 1897, Kustoff was an officer in the Kuban Cossack Army. Fleeing the outcome of the Revolution, he arrived in the U.S. in 1919 and applied for naturalization in San Diego in 1920. He apparently suffered severe tribulations (kidnap and torture according to his personal account) when he tried to practice law in California in 1920's. Kustoff studied law at the University of Florida in Gainesville, and went on to be admitted to the State Bar of Texas. He died in 1964 and is buried in the Serbian Cemetery, Galveston TX.

Medals – Order of St. Anne. Cross. 3rd Class. Military Division. Gold and enamels. Hallmarked “56” on loop, maker’s marks “BK”. Well-preserved. On fraying ribbon; **Order of St. Stanislaus. Cross. 3rd Class. Military Division.** Gold and enamels. Hallmarked “56” on loop. Well-preserved; **Badge of the Kuban Cossack Army.** Screwback, multi-piece construction – *Very rare* as such; Centennial of the Patriotic War Medal (Diakov 1527.3) and Romanov Tercentenary Medal 1913 – both bronze on ribboned bar;

Uniform: Full-length Cossack Overcoat. Dark olive. With Artillery Captain shoulderboards and chevrons on both sleeves; White chemise; Red riding pants with gold facing; Red triangular head scarf; Karakul Cossack cap; Uniform shirt, tan, with shoulderboards designating Lieutenant of the 19th Unit; Tall black riding boots; Part of epaulette;

Weapons – Kinjal: Bone and ebony hilt with silverwork, two raised silver knob ornaments. Maker’s name on face, lower end of the blade: ГУЗУНЪ. Black scabbard, silver and niello work top and tip, very end of scabbard broken; **Kinjal:** Bone and wood hilt with two raised silver knob ornaments. Slightly curved blade with double-grooved fuller at center of each face. Wood scabbard with simple band, broken at bottom; **Shashka.** Silver and niello hilt with typical cleft end. Blackened wood scabbard with three ornate silver and niello bands. The end of the scabbard has been broken off (during Kustoff’s time as a Cossack as is shown in some of his photos);

Apparel also includes two pieces of religious vestments; additional pair of Russian Artillery unit shoulderboards; straight wooden riding crop with leather loop, parts of equestrian straps with metal ornaments

Miscellaneous paraphernalia: Includes about 46 photos of Kustoff, black & white and sepia, some showing him in his Cossack uniform (presented here) wearing his Orders and medals and weaponry (presented here); Photo album of photos, most if not all seem to have been taken after his emigration to the U.S.; about 96 postcards presumably of his travels; Personal ID cards; “Justice in Iron Mask”, a book by Kustoff, member of the State Bar of Texas, 1936 -- a “thrilling account” of his quest after being denied the right to practice law in California in 1920 and his suffering kidnap and torture in that quest; file folder of various Xeroxed manuscripts and affidavits; and documents and sundry news clippings

Great research potential. A museum-worthy set

\$ 50,000

Bukharan Orders and Medals



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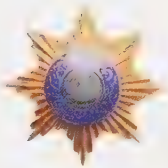
Pair of Firmans for the Order of Noble Bukhara to Captain Michaeloff, Silver, 1st Class, AH 1325, 1907-8; and to Lt. Col. Michaeloff (now as commander of the Railroad Communications in Turkestan Military district), Gold, 2nd Class, (as Lt. Col.) AH 1329, 1914. Russian and Persian text; also other Archival documents (18) to Michaeloff, his son and family, mostly 1910's-1930's, a few later. Includes: Land document, 1914 with Russian text and revenue stamps and later AH 1332 addition in Persian; telegrams, proclamations, etc.; and some 100+ related b&w photos. Great research lot (120+)

\$ 5,000

Other Michaeloff documents were sold at Christie's, Russian Art, New York, April 13, 2011, lot 243



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Order of the Noble Bukhara. Breast Star. Gold 3rd Class. GOLD and enamels. 69 mm. Ca. 1892-1917. By Vladimir Ivanovich Morozov, hereditary honorary citizen, merchant of the First Guild and Supplier to the Court. Hallmarked "(head) 56", maker's mark "АБ" and Imperial warrant mark "(Imperial eagle) В.И.МОРОЗОВЪ" on back of medallion plate, and "АБ" and "(head)" on pin. Radiant plaque, medallion at center. Persian legend inscribed in gold letters on blue enamel, *hijra* date on green enamel above, crescent and floral dome design on sky blue enamel at center. Accompanied by **Miniature**. GOLD. Hallmarked "(head) 56" and maker's mark on back. *Very rare*. In original case of issue.

Condition:

Superb \$ 30,000



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3024 **Bukhara-yi Sharif Medal for Zeal and Service.** Silver and enamel. 45 mm. Persian legend against blue enamel around central disk, *Bukhara-yi sharif* at center, hijri date 1303 above.

Condition: Very minor enamel loss, otherwise nice and problem free \$ 750

3025 **Bukhara-yi Sharif Medal for Zeal and Service.** Silver. 45.3 mm. Persian legend around, *Bukhara-yi sharif* at center, hijri date 1303 above.

Condition: Scratches on plain back, otherwise Choice \$ 500



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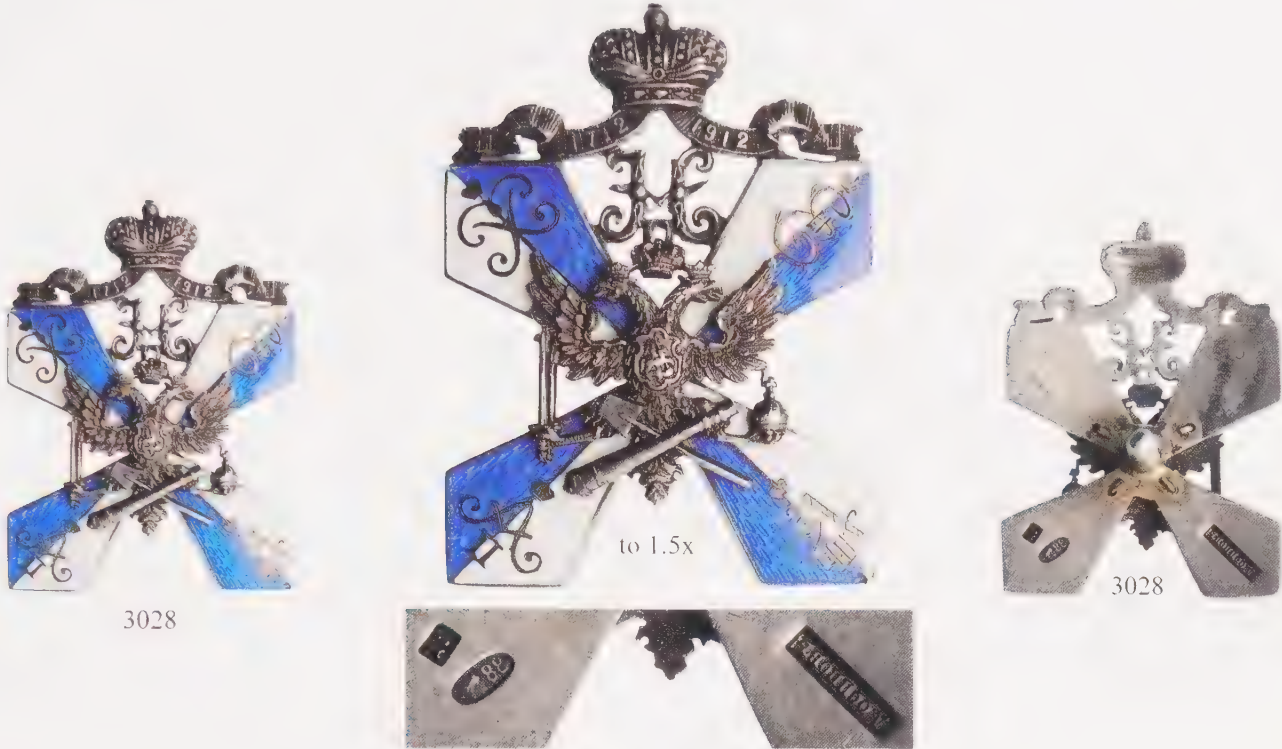
3026 **Bukhari-yi Sharif Medal for Military Service.** Silver and enamels. Teardrop-shaped plaque, 51 x 44 mm. Persian legend around against deep royal blue enamel, *Bukhara-yi sharif* and hijri date 1336 against turquoise-blue enamel at center.

Condition: Contact marks, enamel intact, overall well preserved \$ 700

3027 **Bukhari-yi Sharif Medal for Military Service.** Silver. Teardrop-shaped plaque, 50 x 44 mm. Persian legend around around, *Bukhara-yi sharif* and hijra date 1336 at center.

Condition: Choice and problem free \$ 500

BADGES



- 3028 **Graduation Badge from the Second Corps of Cadets of Emperor Peter the Great in St. Petersburg.** P/B 1.8.10. Silver and enamels. Hallmarked “(head) 88”, “ДО” and “Д.ОСИПОВЪ” on back of the cross. Monograms of Peter I, Catherine II, Alexander II and III at the corners of blue and white enameled St. Andrew cross, Imperial eagle at center, crossed cannon and spade below, crown, dates 1712 -1912 on ribbon and cipher of Nicholas II above. Multipiece construction.

Condition:

Fully intact and Superb \$ 4,000



- 3029 **Badge of the Guard Equipage.** P/B 3.5.2. Hallmarked “(head) 84” and “ГС” on back of cross; and “Ф. МЮЛЛЕРЪ” on the screwplate. Silver Kulm cross in black matte enamel. Superimposed crowned cipher of Nicholas II at center, dates “1710 – 1810 – 1910” on three arms of the cross. Screwback.

Condition:

Choice and well-preserved \$ 3,000



3030

Badge of the Committee to Assist Soldiers, Victims of War and their Families. P/B 3.28. By *Karl Faberge*. Silver and enamels. Hallmarked "ФАБЕРЖЕ" behind eagle, "88" and "AK" on screwplate. Imperial eagle with fanlike tail superimposed on laurel wreath, shield with Moscow Arms in multienamels on breast, crossed scepter and orb and white-enamined long cross below; at bottom is a blue-enamined ribbon inscribed: ЗА ВЪРУ ЦАРЯ И ОТЕЧЕСТВО. On the back, is inscribed: "No. 1419 A. T. URCHENKO". Always popular Faberge-produced badge cited in most references on the world famous jeweler. Converted from pinback to screwback apparently by recipient.

Condition:

Attractive and well-preserved

\$ 5,000



3031

Badge of the Palestinian Orthodox Society. P/B 15.4b, Werlich 914. Gilt Silver. 44 x 55 mm. Hallmarked "84 (female head) and maker's initials on loop. Oval badge on Greek cross, Constantine monogram flanked by *alpha* and *omega* at center, legend around / Three-line legend on shield. On original ribbon.

Condition:

Minimal wear, Problem free

\$ 1,500

AWARD MEDALS

Novodels are an intriguing peculiarity of Russian numismatics. But while coin novodels are widely known and well written about, novodels of Award Medals are far less known and little researched. In the 19th century, the mint, as it did with coins, would restrike examples of very rare, difficult to obtain Award Medals for museums, official institutions, and advanced collectors.

We are pleased to be able to offer a specialized collection of Novodel Award Medals below. They not only offer a piece of history, but a linear link to our numismatic counterparts of the past.



3032



3032 **Award Medal for Service during the Coronation, 1801.** Bronze. 51 mm. By I. Shilov. Novodel, 1814. Bit H498 (R2). Bare Alexander I head r., signed by Shilov on truncation, date "1814" below / Three-line legend, date legend on plaque below. Deep silvery-gray tone with good lustre

Condition:

About uncirculated

\$ 1,000



3033



3033 **Award Medal for the Capture of Ganja Fortress, 1804.** Bronze. 32 mm. Novodel. Bit H563 (R2). Crowned Alexander I cipher / Six-line legend and date. Instituted 16 July 1804 for soldiers who participated in the storming of Ganja Fortress. Toned a silvery root beer hue over light friction marks. Tiny rim bruise

Condition:

About uncirculated

\$ 750



3034



3034 **Award Medal for "Faith and Fatherland to the Territorial Army", 1807.** Bronze. 28 mm. By C. Leberecht. Novodel. Bit H579 (R2). Head r. with "high" hair, signed below / Four-line legend, divided into two by central bar, within oak-wreath. Reverse diebreak. Dark olive-brown, near black, pleasing lustre.

Condition:

Uncirculated

\$ 750



3035 **Award Medal for "Passage into Sweden Through the Torneo River", 1809.** Bronze. 28.5 mm. Novodel. Bit H612 (R2). Crowned Alexander I cipher / Four-line legend, date below. *Instituted 14 April 1809, for soldiers of Shuvalov who gained passage to Sweden across the Torneo River during the Russo-Swedish War of 1808-1809.* Dark chestnut-brown.

Condition: Extremely fine \$ 750

3036 **Award Medal for the Capture of the Turkish Fortress Bazardzhik, 1810.** Bronze. 32 mm. By C. Leberecht. Novodel. Bit H619.Б (R2). Portrait of Alexander I r., signed below / Five-line legend with full date below. *Instituted 13 June 1810 for soldiers who participated in the capture of Bazardzhik Fortress during the Russo-Turkish War of 1806-1810.* Dark olive-brown, near black

Condition: About uncirculated \$ 750



3037 **Award Medal to the Citizens of Uleaborg for Zeal, (1810).** By C. Leberecht. Bronze. 65.3 mm. Muled with earlier obverse. Bit. H674 (R2), cf. Diakov 347.1 for rev. Young 1801 Alexander young bust r., signed by Leberecht below / Three-line Russian legend with four-line Swedish legend below all within scroll wreath.

Condition: Light obverse peripheral corrosion. Extremely fine \$ 600



3038 **Patriotic War 1812 Campaign Medal.** Bronze. 28 mm. Novodel. Bit K636 (R2). Radiant All-Seeing Eye above date / Four-line legend. Slight residue on reverse

Condition: Extremely fine \$ 400

3039 **Award Medal for "Love to the Fatherland", 1812.** Bronze. 29 mm. By C. Leberecht. Novodel. Bit H632 (R2). Alexander I head r., signed on truncation / Four-line legend and date within wreath. *Instituted 9 Feb. 1813 for peasant-partisans of Moscow Province.* Deep mahogany

Condition: Choice uncirculated \$ 750



3040

3040 **Award Medal for “Rescue of Humanity”, n.d. (1818).** Bronze. 28 mm. By C. Leberecht. Novodel. Bit H649 (R3). Alexander I head r., signed below / Three-line legend. Instituted 5 July 1818 and awarded for the rescue of people from fire, drowning and disasters. Dark chestnut with lustre

Condition:

Uncirculated

\$ 750



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3041 **Award Medal for the Sloops “Discovery” and “Loyal”, 1819.** Bronze. 42 mm. Unsigned. Diakov 416.1 (R1), Sm 407. Alexander I portrait r. / Four-line legend, date below. The sloops “Discovery” and “Loyal” were sent, under the command of Captain Vasiliev, to the Arctic Ocean to conduct scientific exploration. Dark olive-brown, near black

Condition:

Good very fine

\$ 400

3042 **Award Medal for the Sloops “Orient” and “Pacific”, 1819.** Bronze. 42 mm. Unsigned. Diakov 417.1 (R1), Sm 406, Werlich 70. Alexander I portrait r. / Four-line legend, date below. Under the command of Captain F.F. Belinsgauzen, the sloops “Orient” and “Pacific” reached Antarctica within two years, then circumnavigated the world at 60-70 degrees in the southern latitude. Minor edge bruise.

Condition:

Very fine

\$ 400

3043 **Award Medal for “Distinction in Navigation”, 1830.** Bronze. 41 mm. By V. Alexeev. Diakov 489.1, Peters 93, Sm 456. Head of Nicholas I r., initials B.A. on truncation / Minerva seated l., holding a wreath and a rod, ship at sea before her, its mast topped by the Imperial eagle. Instituted 12 Feb. 1830 for sea-captains and navigators who completed 12 years of service. Rich deep toffee-brown

Condition:

Uncirculated

\$ 750



3048

3048 **Award Medal for the Russo-Turkish War, 1774.** By S. Yudin. Silver. 41x30 mm. Bit 314 (R), Diakov 165.5 (R2), Peters 15, Sm 277, Werlich 49. Crowned Catherine bust r., initial Ю below / Two-line legend within laurel wreath, Peace with Turkey legend below.

Condition:

Very fine \$ 1,500



3049

3049 **Award Cross to the Clergy for the War of 1812.** Bronze. 80 x 45 mm. Bit 639 (R), Diakov 357.1 (R1), Peters 65, Reichel 3244 (R1), Sm 370. Radiant All-Seeing Eye and date on central circle at cross limbs intersection / Radiant four-line legend. Awarded to all Russian Orthodox Church priests and Protestant clergy that served until January 11, 1813.

Condition:

Deep chestnut-brown About uncirculated \$ 750



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3051

3050 **Award Medal for the Patriotic War 1812 Campaign.** Dark Bronze. 24 mm. Bit 638. Integral ball loop

Condition:

Extremely fine \$ 300

3051 **Award Medal for the Patriotic War 1812 Campaign.** Dark Bronze. 19.5 mm. Bit 638K. Integral loop.

Condition:

Deposits, Extremely fine \$ 200



3052 **25th Anniversary of Prussian King Friedrich Wilhelm IV as Patron of the 3rd Grenadiers, Pernovsky Regiment, 1843.** Gilt Bronze. 33 mm. Diakov 570.1 (R1), Chep 434, Werlich 90. Crowned cipher of the Prussian King / Five-line legend within wreath: “ЦАРСКОЕ СЕЛО 1818 20.ЮНЯ 1843 БЕРЛИНЪ”. *This medal is often mistakenly attributed to the 4th Kaluga Infantry Regiment. Integral loop – much rarer as such. On a ribbon. Extremely rare*

Condition: Moderate wear, Extremely fine \$ 1,000



3053 **Large Neck Medal for Zeal.** Silver. 50.5 mm. 59.45 gm. By П.М. Bit 869A (R2). Alexander II head r., signed “П.М.” on truncation / Legend around: “ЗА УСЕРДІЕ” – “For Zeal”, braided inner circle, outer quadruple band. No integral loop, may have been struck as such or expertly removed. Given its excellent state of preservation, possibly given as a presentation medal and not for wear.

Condition: Lovely deep lavender-gray with an iridescent undertone. About uncirculated \$ 3,000



3054

- 3054 **Priest's Award Cross for Clergy in the Crimean War, 1853-1856.** Bronze. 100 x 58 mm. Bit 963 (R), Diakov 654.1 (R1), Peters 136, Sm 602. Central medallion depicts the All-Seeing Eye above crowned ciphers of Nicholas I and Alexander II, dates below / Five-line legend. Awarded both to Russian Orthodox and non-Orthodox Christian priests.

Condition:

Small dig obverse medallion. About extremely fine

\$ 400



3055

- 3055 **Award Medal for the Conquest of Chechnya and Daghestan. 1857-1859.** Silver. 28 mm. Bit 965, Sm 624, Peters 139, W 95. Crowned Alexander II cipher / Central four-line legend with dates, legend around. Comes on collector's ribbon.

Condition:

Good very fine

\$ 750



3056

- 3056 **Award Medal from the Finnish Agricultural Society, nd (instituted in 1857).** Bronze. 29 mm. By Kozin. Bit 995.A (R2), Diakov 675.3 (R2). Alexander II bust r., signed Н. КОЗИНЪ Р. below, Finnish legend around / ТАИТО ЯА ТОИМИ ("For Knowledge and Efforts") in 3 lines within wreath. *Rare.*

Condition:

Orange-brown Choice about uncirculated

\$ 300



3057 **Award Medal for Blameless Service in the Police.** Silver. 34.3 mm. 18.63 gm. By L. Steinman. Bit 1070 (R2), Diakov 925.3 (R4). Bare head of Alexander III r., legend around, all within a wreath / “ЗА БЕЗПОРОЧНУЮ СЛУЖБУ ВЪ ПОЛИЦІИ” in four lines within wreath. *Very rare* by this engraver.

Condition: Rich charcoal-gray About uncirculated \$ 5,000



3058 **Award Medal for Life Saving.** Bronze. 29.5 mm. By A.A. Griliches. Novodel. Bitkin H1056.A (R2). Alexander III head r. / Three-line legend. Stamped: “МЕДЪ” on edge. Lustrous. *Rare*

Condition: Choice uncirculated \$ 400



3059 **Medal on the Coronation of Alexander III, 1883.** Bronze. By 29 mm. By L. Steinman and M. Gabe. Bit 1075, Diakov 932.1, Peters 176, Sm 886. Alexander III head r., signed Л.Ш.Р. below / Four-line legend, crown above.

Condition: Extremely fine \$ 200

3060 **Medal. Bronze. 28.7 mm. Unsigned. Moscow Practical Academy of Commercial Sciences, nd (1894) Prize Medal.** Diakov 1142.3 (R1), Peters 187, Sm 1056. Bare head of Nicholas II l. / Caduceus entwined with an oak wreath. Toned. *Extremely rare*.

Condition: About uncirculated \$ 1,000



3061

3061 Large Neck **Medal for Zeal**. Silver. 51 mm. Bit 1115, Diakov 1138.1, Peters 3/a, Sm 1038/a. Nicholas II head l. / Legend: “ЗА УСЕРДІЕ” – “For Zeal”.

Condition: Some scratches on neck and contact marks, once polished Extremely fine \$ 750



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3062 **Medal for Zeal**. GOLD. 30.2 mm. 24.33 gm. Bit 1117o (R). Nicholas II head l. / “ЗА УСЕРДІЕ”, spray to left. Comes on collector’s ribbon.

Condition: Lustrous uncirculated \$2,500

3063 **Medal for Zeal**. GOLD. 28.4 mm. 17.98 gm. Bit 1119.1 (R1). Nicholas II head l. / “ЗА УСЕРДІЕ”, spray to left. Kokoshnik assay mark (electrum) on reverse. Comes on collector’s ribbon.

Condition: Some minor friction hairlines. Good lustre Uncirculated \$ 2,500



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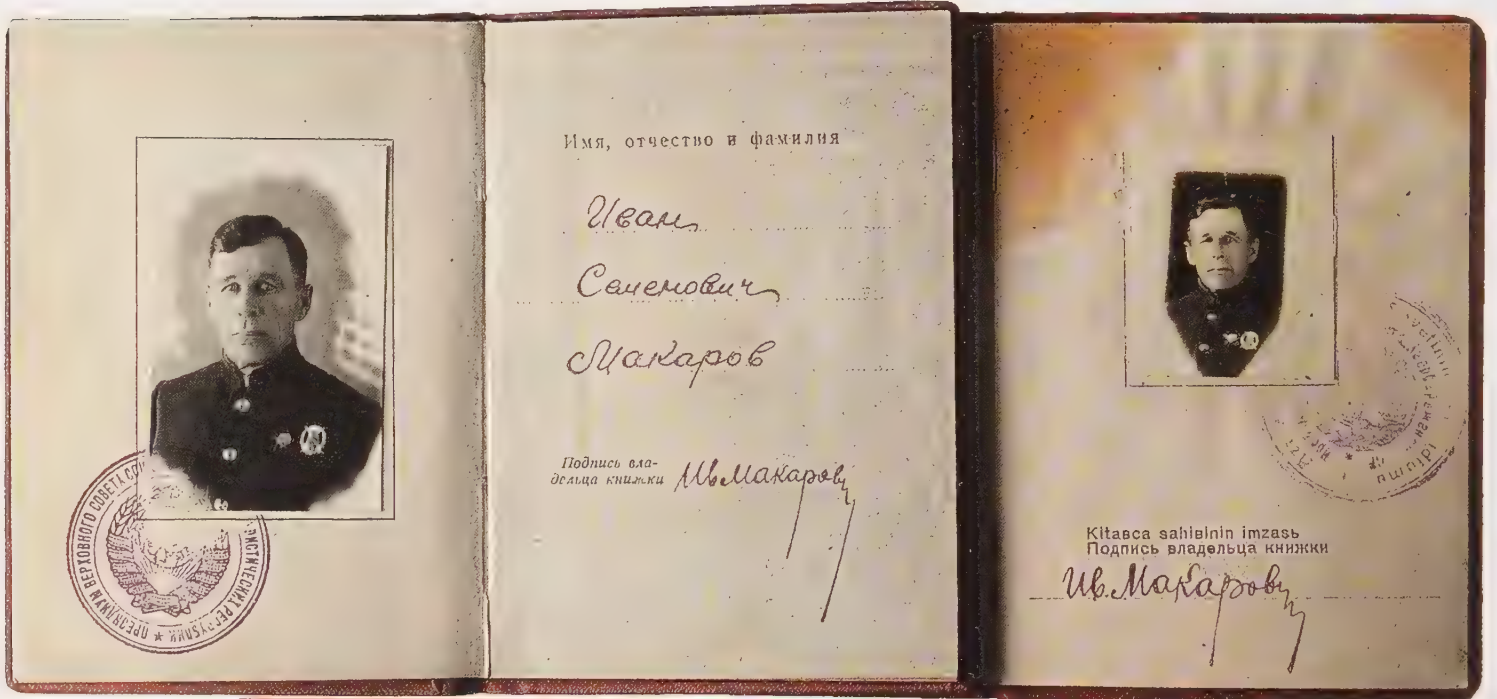
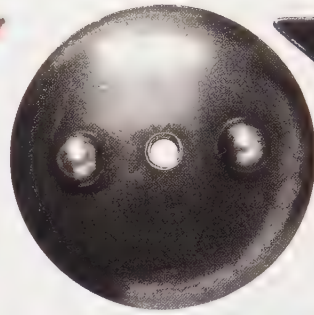
3064 **Medal for Blameless Police Service**. Silver. 36 mm. Bit 1137, Chep 906, Ver 141. Nicholas II head l. encircled by high-relief wreath / Four-line lend encircled by high-relief wreath.

Condition: Deep gray with lovely blue and violet iridescent highlights, a Choice example with bold lustre Brilliant uncirculated \$ 500

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3065



3065 Complete Documented group of Makarov Ivan Semenovich.

Group comes with:

Order of Red Star. Award # 144, Type 1 "ТОЗНАК". Unique original 36mm silver nut.

Order of Red Banner of Labor of Azerbaijan. Award # 72 (stamped on the silver nut). Comes complete with both silver plate and nut.

Order's Book for the Order of Red Star (contains photo of comrade Makarov, wearing his 2 Orders).

Order's Book for the Order of Red Banner of Labor of Azerbadjan (contains photo of comrade Makarov, wearing his 2 Orders).

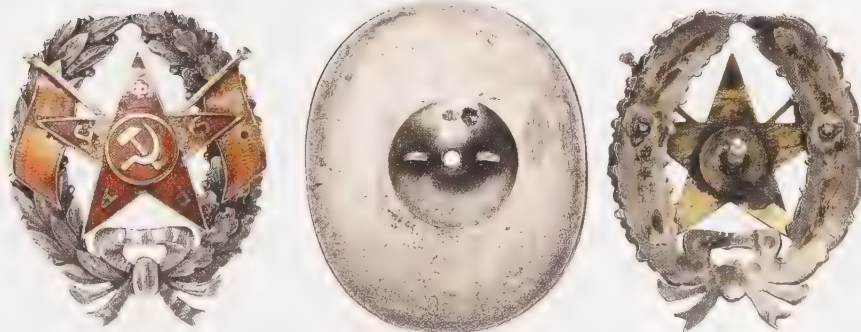
Указ от 7 февраля 1933 г. "За исключительный героизм, проявленный при тушении вулкана на острове Свином (Каспийское море) - наградить смотрителя маяка т. Макарова И.С. орденом "Красная Звезда". Дата вручения 9 августа 1933г.

Extremely Rare and highly desirable fully documented early group in mint condition.

Condition:

Superb condition on both orders \$ 100,000

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / M&M, January 9, 2014, lot 2077, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine.



3066

3066 **Award Badge of Honorary Red Commander of the Azerbaijan.** Unnumbered. Silver and gold. Red enamels. Screwback. Comes with silver plate and small hallmarked silver nut. C/C 02.05.00 (R5). According to the latest publication (by N.Strekalov/I.Sisolyatin), only 2 such badges have been observed, including this specimen. *Excessively Rare.*

Condition:

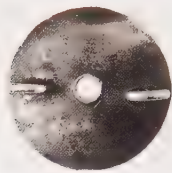
Red enamel chipping, one of the rivets on reverse broken, still very presentable and of the highest craftsmanship

\$ 15,000

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / M&M, January 9, 2014, lot 2078, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine.



to 2x



3067



to 2x

3067

Order of Labor of Azerbaijan. Type 2. Award # 8. Silver. Red enamels. Screwback. Original silver nut. C/C 02.02.02 (R4). Herf 1.6. Kuts pp. 84-102. Only about 60 issued between type 1 and type 2. *Extremely Rare*

Condition: Very minor enamel chipping, otherwise excellent and problem free \$ 150,000

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / M&M, January 9, 2014, lot 2076, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine.



to 2x



3068



to 2x

3068

Prototype **Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Ukraine. Type 2.** Unnumbered. 1925. Gold, silver and brass. Red and blue enamels. Screwback. Comes with original silver plate and nut. 42mm x 40mm in size, significantly smaller than the type 1. C/C 12.02.00 (ЕД). Herf -. Kuts -. The only existing prototype of the new and improved Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Ukraine, which was officially accepted, but the actual manufacturing never took place. Please refer to the "Orders of the Soviet Republics" by N. Strekalov / I. Sisolyatin, pp. 298-300, for complete details about this order. Plate item, pictured on the cover of the aforementioned book. Unique and of major historical importance

Condition:

Unworn with flawless enamel and rich patina. Superb

\$ 400,000

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / M&M, January 9, 2014, lot 2079, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine.



3069

Award Badge of the Crimean Autonomous Soviet Socialist Republic. Award # 10. Silver. Red and white enamels. Screwback. Comes with silver plate and small silver nut. C/C 01.09.02 (R5). According to the latest publication (by N.Strekalov/ I.Sisolyatin), a total of 7 people actually awarded this badge. Only two badges are observed in private hands, including this specimen. *Excessively Rare.*

Condition:

Very minor signs of wear, excellent otherwise \$ 100,000

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / M&M, January 9, 2014, lot 2080, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine.



3070

Mongolian Order of the Polar Star. Type 1. Award # 907.

Silver. Red and blue enamels. Screwback. 1936 Russian manufacture with "МОНДВОР" mintmark. Maker's mark 'KP'. Original silver nut. Only 1000 pieces were manufactured, and most were replaced with later types. *Very Rare.*

Condition:

Excellent with practically flawless enamel

\$ 10,000

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / M&M, January 9, 2014, lot 2086, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine.



3071 **Prototype Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR.** Unnumbered.

The very first manufacturing attempt of the Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR, by Bovzei Brothers company. Brass. Red and white enamels. Screwback. Original brass nut. Enormous size, 54mm x 65mm! C/C-. Herf -. Kuts -. Only 150 manufactured, before production was stopped. Most were destroyed, with only a handful given out to museums. *Virtually unique and of the highest rarity*

“... Времени, чтобы объявлять о конкурсе для создания эскиза ордена Красного Знамени, не было, и тогда обратились к художнику В.В. Денисову – сотруднику Коллегии по делам музеев и охраны памятников искусства и старины при Наркомпросе. Уже через две недели эскиз ордена “Красное Знамя” был разработан, и знак ордена выполнен в натуральную величину. Первые 150 латунных орденских знаков изготовила фирма “Братья Бовзей”, и они были переданы в Реввоенсовет республики.

Орден Красного Знамени утверждался менее через год после свершения Октябрьской революции, и тогда еще никто не знал, каким будет советский герб. Кроме того, они оказались большими по размеру и плохо и нечетко отделанными. Когда Л.Д. Троцкий, председатель Реввоенсовета республики, впервые увидел орденский знак, то остался очень недоволен им. И отправил в Москву, председателю ВЦИК Я.М. Свердлову, телеграмму весьма гневного содержания: “Орден Красного Знамени невозможен, слишком груб и снабжен таким механизмом для крепления на одежду, что носить его практически невозможно. Выдавать его не буду, ибо вызовет всеобщее разочарование. Настаиваю на прекращении выделки и передаче сего дела военному ведомству. Орден ждут несколько месяцев, а получили бляху носильщика, только менее удобную. Знак должен быть в три-четыре раза меньше и сделан из лучшего материала”.

Заказ на изготовление ордена Красного Знамени был передан Петроградскому монетному двору...

Почти вся партия знаков была уничтожена, кроме нескольких знаков, которые было решено передать в основные музеи страны.

Condition:

Enamel chipped on one of the arms, flagpoles reinforced on reverse, massive and impressive unique type

\$ 100,000

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / M&M, January 9, 2014, lot 2087, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine.



3072 **Researched Order of Red Banner of RSFSR. 'Transcaucasian' Type.**
Award # 13773.

With "И К" maker's mark as part of the order, on reverse. Comes with original numbered silver nut, with stamped serial number matching the one on the order. Accompanied by a scan of an archival document (award card), showing that it was awarded to Stroeв A.A., cavalry company commander, 3rd brigade, 1st rifle division, by decree of 1928, for actions on July 6-7, 1919.

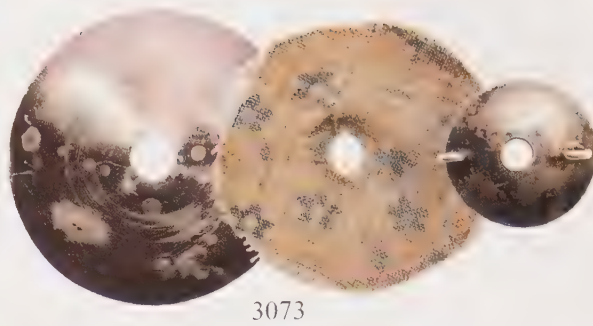
1. СПРАЕВ
2. Александр Александрович
3.
4. Командир кавалерийского 3 брига. 1 стр. дивизии
5. орд. "Красное Знамя"
6. 6-7 июля 1919 г. в Донской области в районе
Казанской ст.
7. РВС СССР

Only a few hundred were issued. *Extremely Rare*

Condition:

Minor enamel chipping, shows normal wear on high points.
An original well preserved specimen

\$50,000



3073

3073 **Order of the Red Banner of the RSFSR. Type 1. Award # 8120.**

Condition: Enamel is mostly missing, but no repairs of any sort.
Nut is also missing. However, all flag poles and torch endings are intact.

\$ 3,500



3074

3074 Award Certificate for the **Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR.**

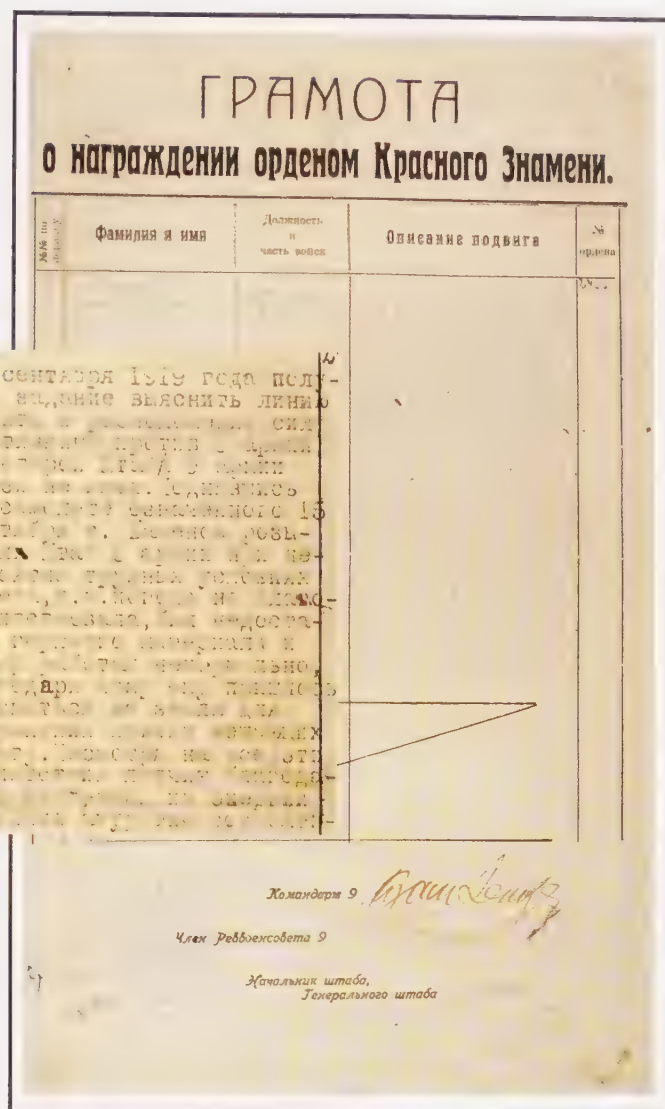
Large early version, about 210mm x 290mm. Awarded with the Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR to Grigory Suhorukov, deputy commander of the reconnaissance platoon, 207th Don Rifle Regiment, on June 24, 1919, for excellence in the struggle against the enemies of the Socialist Fatherland on January 10 and 27, 1919, when he, with only a small number of reconnaissance troops, bravely and vigorously directed machine gun fire, and dislodged the enemy from the village of Mikoryanka.

Наградная Грамота к ордену Боевого Красного Знамени РСФСР.
Ранний тип, большой размер (примерно 210мм x 290мм). Награжден Григорий Сухоруков, зам. командира взвода разведки 207 Донского стрелкового полка, выдана 24 июня 1919.
"10 и 27 января 1919г., т.Сухоруков с небольшим количеством наших разведчиков, умело и энергично управляя пулемётным огнем, выбил противника из дер. Микорянка."

Condition: Good vintage condition, problem free

\$ 750

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / M&M, January 9, 2014, lot 2091, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine.



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Award Certificate for the **Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR.**

Large early version, about 200mm x 340mm. Awarded with the Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR #2463 to Bazhenov M.L., pilot-observer, 34th reconnaissance aviation detachment, on April 27, 1920. On September 15, 1919, he received an order to scout the front lines and the disposition of enemy forces opposing the 8th Army, with whom the HQ of the 9th Army did not have contact. Comrade Bazhenov searched for the HQ of the 8th Army in incredibly difficult flight conditions, with unfavorable weather, low fuel levels, and a motor not operating properly. He had to land at some point, in order to eliminate the causes interfering with his flight. Regardless of all obstacles, the pilot successfully completed his mission, and did everything necessary to explore the enemy disposition. The return flight was also completed in unfavorable conditions and under heavy rifle and machine gun fire. Hand-signed by the commander of the 9th Army.

Наградная Грамота к ордену Боевого Красного Знамени РСФСР.

Ранний тип, большой размер (примерно 200мм x 340мм). Награжден Баженов М.Л., летчик-наблюдатель 34 разв. авиа-отряда (орден Боевого Красного Знамени РСФСР # 2463), выдана 27 апреля 1920.

“15 сентября 1919 получил задание выяснить линию фронта и расположение сил противника против 8 армии, с которой штаб 9 армии не имел связи. Поднявшись на самолете, т. Баженов розыскал штаб 8 армии, при невероятно трудных условиях полета, т.к. погода не благоприятствовала, был недостаток горючего, и мотор работал ненормально, благодаря чему ему пришлось спускаться на землю для устранения причин мешающих полету. Несмотря на все эти препятствия, летчик благодаря проявленной им энергии выполнил возложенную на него задачу, сделав всё нужное в штабе армии и выяснив расположение сил противника. Обратный полет тоже совершался при неблагоприятных условиях и под ураганным ружейным и пулеметным огнем противника.”

Condition:

Good vintage condition, problem free

\$ 750

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / McM, January 9, 2012, lot 2092, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine.



3076



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Award Certificate for the **Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR**.

Small booklet version, about 95mm x 130mm. Awarded with the Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR #3519 to comrade Naumov V.F., commander of 2nd Brigade of the 22nd Rifle Division on September 10, 1922. Decree of January 23, 1920. The Certificate has the full citation inside: on June 16, 1919, the Derkulsky group of troops under comrade Naumov's command was encircled by Cossack bands. Despite the hopeless situation, he initiated the break through, and after 4 ferocious fights in the area of Zeleny – Rochmanov and near Pugachev, on June 21 the group finally broke through the enemy encirclement. During the retreat, 2 enemy machine guns were captured, along with some prisoners and one disabled cannon.

Наградная Грамота к ордену Боевого Красного Знамени РСФСР.

Малый размер (примерно 95мм х 130мм). Награжден т.Наумов В.Ф., (орден Боевого Красного Знамени РСФСР #3519), выдана 10 сентября 1922, по приказу РВС Республики номер 28, от 23 января 1920.

“16 июня 1919г т.Наумов, командуя Деркульской группой, был окружен со всех сторон казацкими бандами и несмотря на безвыходное положение, начал 18-го прорываться через кольцо противника. Выдержав 4 тяжелых боя в районе Зеленого Рохманово, около Пугачева, 21 июня группа прорвалась через кольцо и вышла по направлению к Пугачеву. Во время боев у противника было взято 2 пулемета, пленные и одно подбитое орудие.”

Condition:

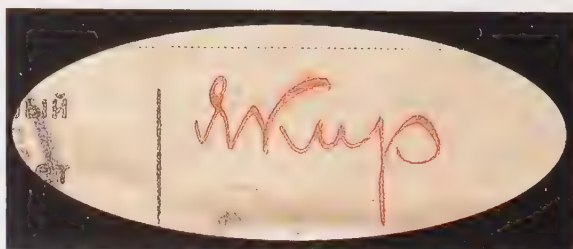
Good vintage condition, problem free

\$ 750

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / M&M, January 9, 2014, lot 2093, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine.



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(reduced)

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Award Certificate for the **Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR.**

Small booklet version, about 95mm x 110mm. Awarded with the Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR #4366 to private Kuzma Dmitriev, 367th Rifle Regiment on September 10, 1922. The Certificate has the full citation inside: he was setting an example of selfless courage during the fight on Lozovaya River, when the regiment was encircled. He encouraged his comrades to fight, and during the breakthrough destroyed the enemy's machine gun, thus allowing the regiment to withdraw without losses. Signed by Yakir, the infamous Red Army commander, who was later shot together with other top Red Army commanders (famous Tukhachevsky's trial, 1937).

Наградная Грамота к ордену Боевого Красного Знамени РСФСР.

Малый размер (примерно 95мм x 110мм). Награжден т.Дмитриев Кузьма, красноармеец 367-го стрелкового полка (орден Боевого Красного Знамени РСФСР #4366), выдана 10 сентября 1922.

“т. Дмитриев, в бою на реке Лозовой, когда полк был окружен, служа примером беззаветной храбрости, воодушевлял товарищей и при прорыве полка сбил пулемет противника, чем способствовал выходу полка без потерь.”

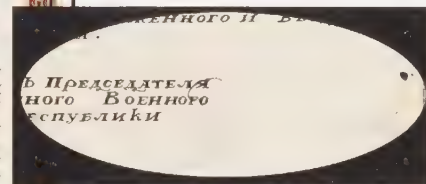
Подпись Якира, одного из легендарных командиров Гражданской войны, впоследствии уничтоженного вместе с Тухачевским и др.

Condition:

Good vintage condition, problem free

\$ 750

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / M&M, January 9, 2014, lot 2094, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine.



detail to 2x

3078 (reduced)

3078

Award Certificate for the **Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR.**

Large version, about 230mm x 370mm. Awarded with the Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR #12841 to comrade Batrushkevich P.N. on August 30, 1923, for distinction in combat against the enemies of the Socialist Fatherland on June 15, 1919, near the village of Uzbekovo. Hand-signed by Sklyanski, Deputy Chairman of the Military Revolutionary Council, a close aid to Trotsky, who called him the “Carnot of the Russian Revolution”. No wonder he died only 2 years later, in 1925, during a strange boating accident.

Наградная Грамота к ордену Боевого Красного Знамени РСФСР.

Поздний тип, большой размер (примерно 230мм x 370мм). Награжден Батрушкевич П.Н., (орден Боевого Красного Знамени РСФСР #12841), выдана 30 августа 1923, за отличие в бою против врагов Социалистического Отечества 15 июня 1919г. под д.Узбеково. Подпись Склянского, зам. председателя РВС Республики, близкого сподвижника Л.Троцкого. Наверное, благодаря этой дружбе Склянский погиб всего 2 года спустя, в 1925г., при странной аварии на лодке.

Condition:

Good vintage condition, problem free

\$ 750

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / M&M, January 9, 2014, lot 2095, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine.

ORDERS OF THE USSR



3079



Иван Н. Кожедуб и Шалва Н. Кирия (справа)

3079 Documented and Researched GOLD Star of **Hero of the Soviet Union**. Type 2.
Award # 2270

23K gold. Comes with Large Certificate for the title Hero of the Soviet Union, and a custom made Congratulatory gramota. Awarded to Major-General Kiriya Shalva Nesterovich (Georgian by nationality), ace fighter pilot, by decree of Oct. 26, 1944. At the time of award, major Kiriya was serving as the navigator of 151th Guards Air Regiment, with a personal score of 23 enemy planes (22 personal + 1 shared) destroyed in 59 dogfights. By the end of WWII, he managed to add 6 more kills to his tally, ending with 29 (!) victories. After the war, continued his military career, retiring in 1961 as Major-General of Aviation. Published a memoir book "Skies belong to the stars", about his combat exploits. *Extremely Rare HSU star to a high scoring ace.*

Летом 1944г. был майором, штурманом 427-го ИАП (переназванном в 1944г. в 151-й ГвИАП), на 2-м Укр. фронте. К концу августа 1944г. совершил 189 вылетов и сбил 23 самолета (один в группе) в 59 боях. До конца войны сбил ещё 6. Впоследствии, оставался служить в ВВС до 1961г., в отставку вышел в звании генерал-майора. О своем боевом опыте написал книгу "Небо принадлежит звездам".
Очень редко встречаемое сочетание - генерал грузинской национальности и истребитель-ас.

Condition:

Suspension is missing the push plate, otherwise problem free on all items

\$ 10,000



3080

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Hero of the Socialist Labor Gold Star. Type 2. Award # 2529. 23K Gold.
Comes with blue leathered case with embossed Coat of Arms of the USSR and legend "СОЮЗ / СОВЕТСКИХ / СОЦИАЛИ - / СТИЧЕСКИХ / РЕСПУБЛИК".

Condition:

Choice and problems free

\$ 1,750



3081

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Hero of the Socialist Labor complete documents set.
Complete with all 3 award documents. Small Certificate contains a photo of the recipient. The title of Hero of the Socialist Labor was bestowed on comrade Petuhov Anatoliy Ivanovich in March of 1971, by decree of March 30, 1971, 'For exceptional achievements in development of black metallurgy during the 5-year plan'. Scarce as a complete set.

Condition:

Problem free on all items

\$1,500



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to 2x

detail to 2x



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Documented **Order of Lenin**. Type 3, "REISSUE". Award # 667. Screwback with "МОНДВОР" mintmark. Original silver nut. Official reissue award for the type 1 "Трактор". Comes with Order's Book, issued to Zhukov M.M. (contains nice photo of the veteran wearing this order). *Rare*, especially documented.

Condition: Excellent with only one hardly noticeable enamel chipping, highly desirable

\$ 20,000

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / M&M, January 9, 2014, lot 2100, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine.



3083

Researched **Order of Lenin. Type 3.** Award # 2908.

Screwback with “МОНДВОР” mintmark. Original silver nut. Comes with copies of official research from the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation, including award card, military records, and a nice photo of the recipient, wearing all his awards. Awarded to Guards Colonel Val'kov Aleksei Georgievich, by decree of May 25, 1936. Comrade Val'kov was a career officer, who started his service in 1920, fought in the Civil War against Wrangel', served throughout WWII, commanded Air Force Shturmovik Division, and occupied several other top positions in the Soviet Military Air Forces, before his retirement in 1953, as Colonel.

Вальков Алексей Георгиевич - гв. полковник, участник боев против бандформирований барона Врангеля (1920г.), во время Отечественной войны занимал позиции командира авиадивизии, зам. командующего ВВС 10-й армии, Зап. фронт. После войны нач. отдела боевой подготовки ВВС Киевского ВО. Уволен в запас в 1953г.

Сканы учетной карточки награжденного, послужного списка и др. архивных документов прилагаются.

Редкий орден Ленина, с двойной “пяткой” у основания винта, всего выпущено около 1000шт. таких знаков.

Very Rare variation with double-tier screwpost base (only about a 1000 of them manufactured, out of all type 3 orders of Lenin).

Condition: Miniscule enamel chips along the banner, excellent otherwise

\$ 7,500

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / M&M, January 9, 2014, lot 2101, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine.



3084 Complete Documented Group of Colonel Kamsarakan Mikhail Aleksandrovich. Comrade Kamsarakan M.A. served as a commander of the 28th regiment of the air defense (Baku air defense system). Career officer, participated in the fighting against Georgian opposition and bandit gangs in 1922.

Group comes with:

Order of Lenin # 55965.

Order of Red Banner # 155224.

Order of Red Banner 2nd Award # 20252.

Order of Red Star # 130707.

Order's Book listing all of the above awards, nothing missing (contains photo).

Medal for 20 years of RKKA, type 1, # 11051, with related award booklet (contains photo).

Medal "For Defense of Caucasus" with corresponding medal certificate.

Medal "For Victory over Germany" with corresponding medal certificate.

Medal "20 years Anniversary of Victory over Germany" with corresponding medal certificate.

Medal "30 years Anniversary of Armed Forces of the USSR" with corresponding medal certificate.

Medal "50 years Anniversary of Armed Forces of the USSR" with corresponding medal certificate.

1951 Graduation Diploma from Budenny Military Academy of Communication.

2 original photographs.

Камсаракан Михаил Александрович - участник боев против меньшевиков Грузии и банд Челокашвили в 1922г. Во время войны командир 28-го полка воздушного оповещения и связи Бакинской Армии ПВО.

Very Rare complete documented group to a minority officer!

Condition:

Perfect condition on all items, practically unworn

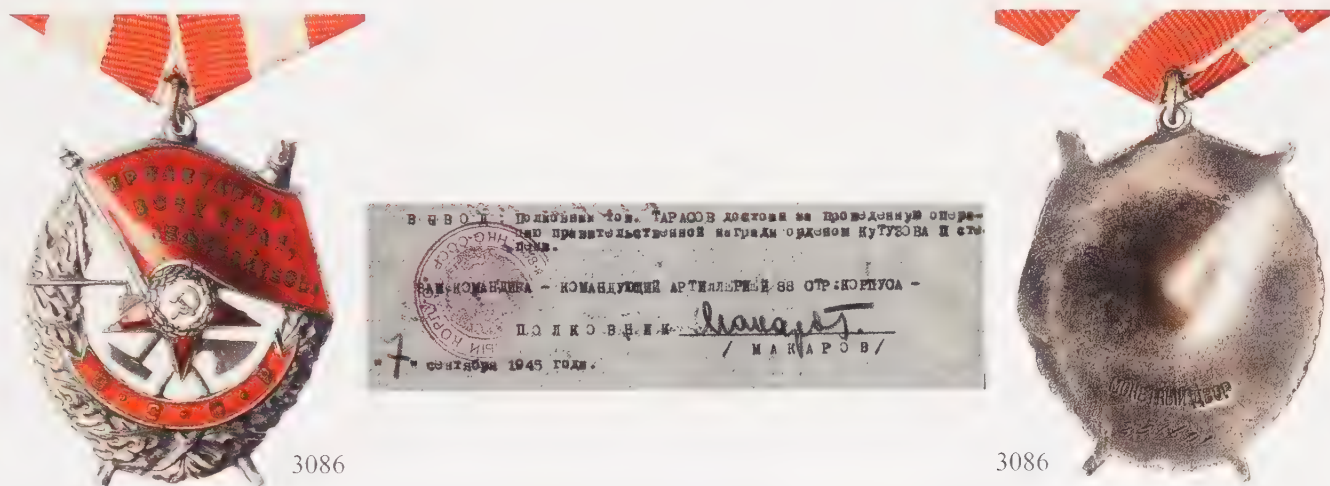
\$ 5,000



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3085 **Order of Red Banner. Type 3.** Award # 96677.
One of the first productions on 5-sided suspension.

Condition: Excellent with flawless enamels and full gold-plating \$ 400



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3086 **Researched Order of Red Banner. Type 4.** Award # 237601.
1945 Moscow mint issue. Comes with copies of official research from the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation, including award card, citation and decree. Awarded to Colonel Tarasov M.A., commander of the 220th Corps artillery brigade, 88th Corps, by decree of Sept. 30, 1945. Colonel Tarasov was instrumental in organizing a thorough reconnaissance of the Manchurian border, which yielded great results in a quick offensive conducted by the brigade between August 1 and September 8, 1945. Brigade's artillery inflicted heavy losses on the Japanese samurais. The entire border area was captured without much losses to the brigade itself. Originally bestowed for order of Kutuzov 2nd class, but at the very last level downgraded to the order of Red Banner.

Полковник Тарасов Максим Акимович - род. 1906г., в Красной Армии с 1928г., член ВКПб с 1931г. В период боевых действий арт. бригады с 1-го авг. по 8-е сент., благодаря хорошо организованной разведке и правильного планирования артогня, удалось нанести большой урон противнику, уничтожить все наземные укрепления и до 2-х рот пехоты, и овладеть пограничным укрепрайоном. Остатки японских самураев в беспорядке бежали в глубь Маньчжурии. Отмечен в приказе т.Сталина. Представлен к ордену Кутузова 2ст., но на последнем этапе утверждений орден заменен на орден Красного Знамени.

Scarce researched Red Banner for war against the Japan.

Condition: Small enamel chips, not detracting from overall great eye appeal, dark patina \$ 400

Красного Знамени 275 (4)

1. Награжден *Богдана Хмельницкого 1-й степени*
Орденом КРАСНОЕ ЗНАМЯ

Орденом Красного Знамени
и орденом Красного Знамени
и орденом Красного Знамени
Орденом Ленина
№ ордена *10148 ч. 711*

г. 15112 с. 36030
г. 160002 с. 198

2. Имеет право, начиная с *1/II-1940*,
на получение орденских денежных выдач
и на другие льготы и преимущества,
согласно общему положению об орденах
Союза ССР.

3. Книжка бесспорная.



№ 041534

5 февраля 1940

Утверждено постановлением ЦИК и
СНК Союза ССР от 7 мая 1936 г.

ОБЩЕЕ ПОЛОЖЕНИЕ

об орденах Союза ССР.

1. Орден Союза ССР является высшей
наградой за особые заслуги в области
социалистического строительства и обороны
Союза ССР.

2. Центральным Исполнительным Коми-
тетом Союза ССР учреждены следующие
ордена Союза ССР: „Орден Ленина“,
„Красное Знамя“, „Красная Звезда“, „Тру-
довое Красное Знамя“ и „Знак Почета“.

3. Орденами Союза ССР могут награ-
ждаться как отдельные граждане, так и
войсковые соединения и воинские части
Рабоче-Крестьянской Красной Армии, пред-
приятия, учреждения и организации.

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Complete Documented Group of Guards Lieutenant-General Brichenok Robert Ivanovich.

Guards Lieutenant-General Brichenok started his career in 1915, in the cavalry school. After the 1917 Revolt, joined the Bolshevik party, participated in the fighting against Udenich, Poles, Wrangel and gangs of Makhno (1917-1920). Took part in the Finnish War of 1939-1940, where he was bestowed with his first award of the Red Banner. Artillery detachments commander during WWII. After the war, commanded an artillery school in Leningrad. Died in 1972.

Group comes with:

Order of B. Khmel'nitsky 1st Class # 198, Type 1, with Authentication Certificate from Paul McDaniel (9 out of 10 condition rating).

Order of Kutuzov 2nd Class # 711, Type 2 (5 rivets visible on reverse), with Authentication Certificate from Paul McDaniel (9 out of 10 condition rating).

Order of Lenin # 36030.

Order of Red Banner # 10148 ("REISSUE" for the screwback type).

Order of Red Banner 2nd Award # 1511 ("REISSUE" for the screwback type).

Order of Red Banner # 160602.

Order of Red Banner 4th Award # 275, with Authentication Certificate from Paul McDaniel (9.5 out of 10 condition rating). One of the first suspension type orders.

Order's Book listing all of the above awards, nothing missing.

Medal for 20 years of RKKA, type 2.

Medal "For Defense of Leningrad".

3 other medals – Polish, Bulgarian and Czechoslovakian.

Full official research from the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation, including award card (fully confirming all of his awards), citations and decrees. Includes complete English translation.

Complete "Personal File" from the military archives.

Бриченко Роберт Иванович (гв. генерал-лейтенант. 04.20.1945г) – участник Гражданской войны, в 1917-1920гг. воевал против Уденича, белополяков, Врангеля и Махно. Участвовал в Финской войне 1939-1940гг., где был награжден своим первым орденом Красного Знамени. На командных должностях в течении всей ВОВ. После войны заведовал Ленинградской артиллерийской школой. Умер в 1972г.

Extremely Rare fully complete documented group with top military orders!

Condition: Excellent condition all items, highly collectable group \$ 100,000

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / McM, January 9, 2014, lot 2115, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine



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Order of Suvorov 2nd Class. Type 2. Award # 125.

Screwback. Gold and silver, with red enamels. Original silver screwback nut. Apparent serial number alteration, but done long time ago, and in the style of official mintmark "reissue" pieces, hence impossible to state whether or not it's legit. Therefore, offered not as a "reissue", but as a standard order.

Condition:

Perfect enamels and great details on medallion

\$ 12,500

Ex Gorny & Mosch, March 2007, Munich, Sale 157, lot 3985.



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Order of Suvorov 2nd Class. Type 2. Award # 1617.

Screwback. Gold and silver, with red enamels. Original silver screwback nut. Comes with Certificate of Authenticity from A.Merezhko.

Condition: Some scratches on reverse around serial number, without any alterations or affecting readability. Replaced enamel in the letters, replaced reverse rivets. Nonetheless, crisp details on medallion, with silky medium patina

\$ 12,500



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3090 **Order of B. Khmel'nitsky 3rd Class. Type 2.** Solid construction. Award # 3803. Variation with the dot on sabre. Technological marking "7" on reverse. Original silver nut.

Condition:

Wear on high point \$ 4,000



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3091 **Order of A. Nevsky. Type 1.** Award # 815. Type 1, variation 2, on silver rectangular suspension, with the stick pin.

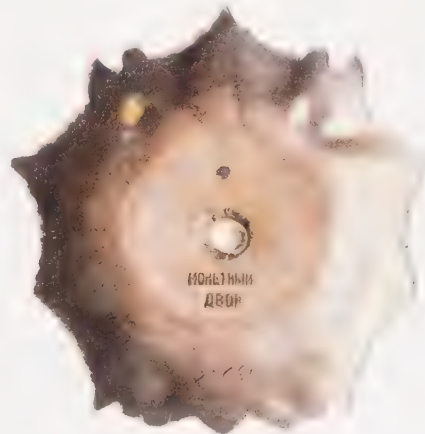
Condition:

Enamel may have been professionally replaced, outstanding otherwise with mint center medallion and most of the original gilt remaining under patina

\$2,000



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3092 **Order of A. Nevsky. Type 3.** Award # 22661. Comes with blue leathered case with embossed Coat of Arms of the USSR and legend "СОЮЗ / СОВЕТСКИХ / СОЦИАЛИ - / СТИЧЕСКИХ / РЕСПУБЛИК".

Condition:

Choice and problem free \$ 1,500



3093

3093 **Order of Patriotic War 1st Class. Type 1.** Award # 1785.
Type 1, variation 1, on unique rectangular suspension without the connecting ring, with the stick pin. The rarest of all variations.

Condition: Practically unworn, flawless enamels, all original parts, including suspension and nut. Extremely rare in such state of preservation, and superb for type

\$ 4,000



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3094 **Order of Patriotic War 1st Class. Type 1.** Award # 16454.
Type 1, variation 3, on rectangular suspension, without the stick pin.

Condition: Superficial enamel chip at 12 o'clock, suspension may not be original to the order, still excellent eye appeal, with full gilt.

\$ 2,500

3095 **Order of Patriotic War 1st Class. Type 2.** Award # 233555. Screwback.
Comes with blue leathered case with embossed Coat of Arms of the USSR and legend "СОЮЗ / СОВЕТСКИХ / СОЦИАЛИ - / СТИЧЕСКИХ / РЕСПУБЛИК".

Condition: Nice and problem free

\$ 500



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3096 **Order of Patriotic War 2nd Class. Type 1.** Award # 9538.
Type 1, variation 2, on rectangular suspension, with stick-pin.

Condition: Tiny chips and dings on red enamel, excellent otherwise \$ 500



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3097 **Researched Order of Patriotic War 2nd Class. Type 1.** Award # 16464.
Type 1, variation 3, on rectangular suspension, without stick-pin. Comes with original letter from archives of the Ministry of Defence of the Russian Federation. Awarded to Captain Isayans O.A. (of Armenian origin), 5th Shock Army. In combat near Dmitrievka village, Captain Isayants, leading the battalion provided a clever stroke of tactics in capturing the road, cutting off the enemy's path and ultimately capturing 6 vehicles and other facilities. Wounded in the arm, comrade Isayants only left the battlefield after the fight was over. Received his award in July of 1944, by decree of March 8th, 1944.

Condition: Small enamel chipping, otherwise very good \$ 1,800

3098 **Order of Patriotic War 2nd Class. Type 1.** Award # 18462.
Type 1, variation 3, on rectangular suspension, without stick-pin.

Condition: Minor enamel chips around edges, moderate signs of wear, good vintage condition otherwise \$ 500



3099



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Documented Order of Red Star. Type 1, "GOZNAK". Award # 748.

Type 1. Comes with unique 36mm silver nut. Order's booklet contains a nice photo of the recipient, wearing this Red Star. Awarded to comrade Zalessky V.F., privileges authorized from March, 1936. The Order's book lists several other decorations, which are missing. *Very rare, especially documented*

Condition:

Good vintage condition, despite the recently polished enamels

\$ 25,000



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Order of Red Star. Type 4. Award # 35785.

Variation with "МОНЕТНЫЙ ДВОР" mintmark and screwpost base. *Scarce* early issue for the type

Condition;

Nice and problem free

\$ 400



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Order of Red Star. Type 4. Award # 87479.

Variation with "МОНЕТНЫЙ ДВОР" mintmark and screwpost base.

Condition:

Great vintage condition, despite a tiny enamel chip at 3 o'clock, minimal wear on medallion

\$ 300

3102

Order of Red Star. Type 4. Award # 215610.

Variation with "МОНЕТНЫЙ ДВОР" mintmark and screwpost base.

Condition:

Enamel professionally replaced, screw thinned with custom nut used, excellent eye appeal

\$ 250

3103

Order of Red Star. Type 6, "DUPLICATE". Award # 71187.

Serial number is hand-engraved on unnumbered order. Scarce variation of duplicate.

Condition:

Excellent

\$ 300



3104 **Order of Red Star. Type 6, "DUPLICATE".** Award # 2003015.
Official duplicate with Cyrillic "Д" and stamped serial number, done on previously numbered piece. Scarce

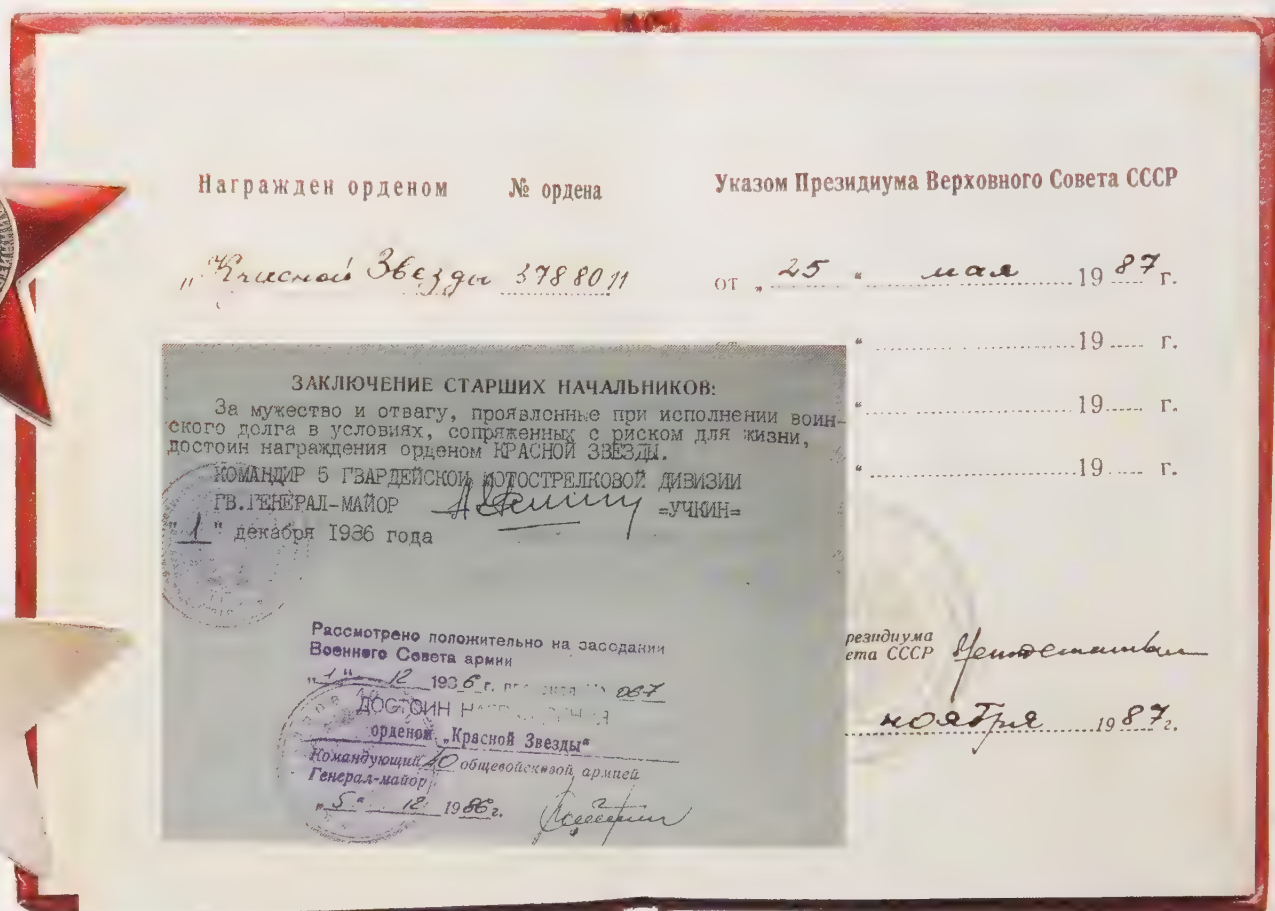
Condition: Small enamel chips at 9 and 12 o'clock, perfect otherwise \$ 300

3105 **Order of Red Star. Type 6.** Award # 947310.
Variation without "монетный двор" mintmark. Rare

Condition: Screw is shortened, perfect otherwise \$ 500



3106



3106 **Documented and Researched Order of Red Star. Type 6.** Award # 3788011.
*Variation with serial number done with rotating-tool. Comes the Orders booklet, and copies of official research from the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation (award card). Awarded to Junior Sergeant Shukteris A.I., by decree of May 25, 1987, for courage and personal bravery during his service in the **Democratic Republic of Afghanistan**. In particular, he took part in 10 combat operations, and over 20 recon operations. During the last one, he personally found and destroyed an entire artillery cannon crew. Was apparently heavily wounded in the process. Scarce Afghanistan War award.*

Condition: Excellent condition both items \$ 400



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Order of Red Banner of Labor. Type 2.

Type 2, var. 1. Screwback, "Mondvor" mintmark. Award # 4397. "KP" maker's marks.

Condition: Minor enamel chipping, not penetrating to metal. Nice otherwise \$ 2,500



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Documented Order of October Revolution. Award # 84554.

Comes with order's book, issued to Selitsky Cheslav Stanislavovich (Селицкий Чеслав Станиславович) by decree of April 12, 1979. Rare award to foreigner.

Condition: Mint condition both items \$ 1,000

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / M&M, January 9, 2014, lot 2136, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine



3109



3109 **Medal 'For 20th Anniversary of the RKKA' with document. Type 2**
 1938 medal, converted to a 5-sided suspension. Comes with medals' award booklet, issued to quartermaster 2nd rank Nekrasov V.A. on Feb. 22, 1938. *Scarce*
Condition: Both items are in problem free condition, showing minor wear \$ 1,000

Ex The New York Sale XXXIII, Baldwin's / Markov / M&M, January 9, 2014, lot 2139, item remaining unpaid by a collector from Kiev, Ukraine.



3110

3110 **Medal 'For the 20th Anniversary of RKKA'. Type 2.**
 1938 medal, converted to 5-sided suspension in order to comply with regulation change of June 1943.
Condition: Premium condition with flawless enamel \$750



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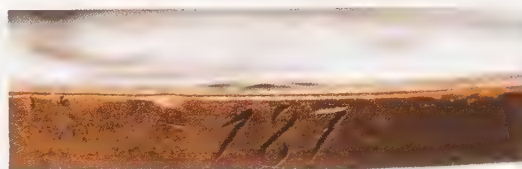
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3111 **Documented Ushakov Medal.** Award # 9226.
Variation 2, with small stamped serial number. Comes with medal booklet, issued to Parhomenko Yakov Lukich. Priviledges authorized from Oct. 1, 1944.

Condition: Excellent with all original parts \$1,000



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3112 **Nakhimov Medal.** Award # 187.
Variation 1, with hand-engraved serial number. Comes with Certificate of Authenticity from Paul McDaniel (very high 8 out of 10 condition rating). *Scarce with such low number*

Condition: Minimal wear, excellent and problem free \$2,000



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1. Награжден медалью: <i>медалью Нахимова</i>	№ медали <i>10721</i>
<p>2. Имеет право, начиная с <i>01.12.1944г.</i> на получение действительных выданных и считавшихся просроченными во всех городах СССР, согласно положению о медали.</p> <p>3. Удостоверение бесспорное.</p> <p>Секретарь Президиума Верховного Совета СССР <i>Л. Зурин</i></p> <p>А № 133550</p> <p><i>30 Октября 1946г.</i></p>	

ИЗВЛЕЧЕНИЕ

из положений о медалях СССР—„За отвагу“, Ушакова, „За боевые заслуги“, Нахимова, „За трудовую доблесть“ и „За трудовое отличие“.

Награждение медалями СССР—„За отвагу“, Ушакова, „За боевые заслуги“, Нахимова, „За трудовую доблесть“ и „За трудовое отличие“ производится Указом Президиума Верховного Совета СССР.

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Documented Nakhimov Medal. Award # 10721.

Variation 2, with small stamped serial number. Comes with medal booklet, issued to Yaroslavtzev Lev Feodorovich. Priviledges authorized from Dec. 1, 1944.

Condition:

Minimal wear, much of the gilt still remains

\$ 1,000

*Золотая Медаль Международной Ленинской премии за "Укрепление мира между народами" (перевыдана как Международной Сталинской Премии) Председателю Международной следственной комиссии поджоге Рейстага (1933).
Присуждена в 1954 г. Денису Притту.*



3114 **International Lenin Prize for Peace documented Set to Denis Nowell Pritt, Q.C., and presentations to Pritt on his 70th Birthday, along with related items.** The medal set includes:

- The Gold International Lenin Prize for Peace medal, in original burgundy case of issue, official issue as the De-Stalinization exchange/replacement for the Stalin Prize for Peace medal.
- Soviet Peace Committee gilt Medal in box of issue; with Testimonial Diploma, November 1969, and official English version on a separate sheet, both signed by Committee officials.
- B&W photos of Pritt, wearing the Lenin Peace Prize and other medals, with Walter Ulbricht.

German Democratic Republic Presentations to Pritt on his 70th Birthday include:

- Leipzig Honorary Citizenship, 22 September 1957, vellum scroll, 300 x 602 mm, bestowed by the City Council and the Senate of the City of Leipzig upon "Denis Nowell Pritt ... Holder of the Lenin Peace Prize... for recognition of his courageous behavior in the London Counter Trial of the Reichstag Fire Trial, which, next to the steadfast behavior of Georgi Dimitrov, effectively contributed to the unmasking of the Fascist guilt..." The scroll is rolled into the gilt-embossed leather tube of issue (410 x 82 mm), which fits into a presentation box with removable lid. The inside of which contains a fitted concave "bed" for the tube to rest upon. (*Leipzig was the site of the official Reichstag Fire trial of G. Dimitrov, etc. in 1933*)
- Union of Democratic Jurists of Germany patent leather presentation box (220 x 268 mm.), the cover gilt inscribed to Pritt on his 70th birthday. The box contains 24 b&w photographs of the Reichstag Fire trial, participants, documents etc.

Also includes:

- Books by Pritt: *Light on Moscow* (1940); *The USSR, Our Ally* (1941); *A New World Grows: USSR 1917-1943* (1943); *Russia is for Peace* (1952)
- Books by Pritt about the Reichstag Fire: *The Burning of the Reichstag: Official Findings of the Committee of Inquiry* (1933); *Der Reichstagsbrand* (Berlin, 1959), title page autographed in ink by Pritt.
- Book about the Reichstag Fire: *Reichstag Fire: Ashes of Democracy* (1972).

The Lenin Peace Prize medal to Pritt is only the third ever auctioned in the Western World (and the first De-Stalinization exchange/replacement ever auctioned); fewer than 100 were ever awarded. Famous Laureates include Khrushchev, Castro, Picasso, Brezhnev, and Mandela.

*Pritt's 1957 Leipzig honorary citizenship was the twelfth such honor from a major German city ever presented to a foreigner, and is apparently **the only such honor to a foreigner ever auctioned; it was the first such honor bestowed by Leipzig, and the first from any major German city to a foreigner, since World War II.** Its cleverly elaborate physical format is extremely rare, as most such German city honors were in simple folio format. (Until the 1970's, Nobel Peace Prize diplomas were presented in rolled, rather than folio, format.)*



3115 Joliot-Curie Peace Medal of the World Council of Peace documented Set to Denis Nowell Pritt, 1969

The Set includes:

- Gold (10k) Joliot-Curie Peace Medal. 17 gm, 29 mm. Bust left of Frédéric Joliot-Curie, the famous Nobel Physics Laureate who led the World Council of Peace from its founding in 1949 until his death in 1958 / Dove, French legend *World Council of Peace*.
- Award Diploma, 220 x 311 mm, which slips into a folder through a cord which wraps vertically across the folder binder, signed by the General Secretary of the World Council of Peace.

*The Gold Medal of Peace was founded in 1951. It was renamed in 1959 the Joliot-Curie Medal of Peace, to honor Joliot-Curie as its first president. As of 2009, the World Council of Peace had issued a total of 168 Peace and other medals, but **this specimen is the first ever offered for auction in the Western World.***

Also included:

- B&W photograph of Pritt wearing the Joliot-Curie Peace Medal and other medals, with Walter Ulbricht.
- Pamphlets and booklets: *The Search for Peace*, by D.N. Pritt (1952); *The Story of the World Council of Peace* (1962); the *World Peace Council List of Members, 1970*.

The World Peace Council is the Soviet-fronted affiliate of the U.S. Peace Council. It describes itself as a "an anti-imperialist, democratic, independent and non-aligned international movement of mass action." It is a non-governmental organization (NGO) member of the United Nations. The WPC was founded in Prague during a "Peace Congress" sponsored by the Soviets and their Czech and other Eastern European satellites. It was headquartered in Helsinki, Finland until the 1990s when it moved to Greece.

Planned and controlled by the International Department of the Communist Party of the USSR, the WPC claimed to represent 600 million "organizers for peace" worldwide. It declined during Gorbachev's tenure in office, but has revived in recent years. The most recent Assembly of the WPC took place in April 2008 in Caracas, Venezuela, involving more than 280 peace delegates from 123 Organizations from 83 countries.

Condition:

Choice and problem-free \$ 10,000

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5. PAYMENT

5.1. The Purchase Price payable by a Buyer is the Hammer Price plus a Buyer's Premium of 17% of the Hammer Price. Buyer of a lot is responsible for paying New York sales tax, unless the Lot is exempt.

5.2. Buyer of a Lot shall pay the Purchase Price in full before the Lot can be delivered to the Buyer.

5.3. Except where Condition 5.2 applies, any part of the Purchase Price outstanding after the Auction shall be payable by you within 14 days of the date of the Auction, the due date.

5.4. The Purchase Price is payable by you in cash in full in US funds. You are not entitled to set-off any amounts that you claim are due from us or anyone else or make any other deductions.

5.5. Unless we have agreed in writing otherwise, you shall act on your own account as principal in respect of the sale and therefore if you accept a commission from a third party to bid on their behalf, you do so at your own risk and will remain personally liable (jointly with your principal) to us for the Purchase Price in accordance with these Conditions.

5.6. The methods of payment and surcharges are set out below.

5.7. If the Purchase Price has not been settled within 30 days of the Auction date interest will be charged at 2% per month from the due date of payment to the date that cleared funds are received whether that is before or after any legal judgment. This is without prejudice to any other rights that we have for non-payment.

5.8. If you fail to comply with your obligations under these Conditions, the Lot, in respect of such non-compliance, may at our discretion be put up for sale at Auction or privately and resold. In this case, you will be liable in full and will indemnify us for all losses, costs and expenses (including attorneys' fees and legal costs) incurred as a result, including the costs of the resale and the amount (if any) by which the Hammer Price obtained on the resale is less than the Hammer Price obtained on the original sale of the Lot to the Buyer.

6. RISK, TITLE AND DELIVERY

6.1. The risk of damage/loss to the Lot will pass to the Buyer on the fall of the hammer. Title in a Lot will not pass to the Buyer until the Purchase Price has been paid in full.

6.2. Unless agreed by us, you should collect the Lot within 7 days of the date of payment in full. We reserve the right to charge for storage and to resell by Auction or privately without notice to you, if a Lot is not collected. Alternatively, we will send the Lot to you by recorded post. Postage and insurance costs will be charged as additional costs.

6.3. Except in relation to Forgeries, you must satisfy yourself that the correct Lot has been delivered to you at the time of collection/delivery. We will not be responsible for any discrepancy which might be discovered after the Lots have been collected. If we have shipped the Lot to you, we will not be responsible for any discrepancies if you fail to notify us within 24 hours of receipt.

6.4. It is the Buyer's responsibility to obtain any necessary import, export or other licences required in relation to a Lot.

7. GUARANTEE FOR FORGERIES

7.1. Auctioneer is a member of the International Association of Professional Numismatists and in accordance with the conditions of membership, shall provide a guarantee to the Buyer for all Lots against Forgeries on the terms set out in these Conditions ('Guarantee').

7.2. For the purposes of these Conditions, a 'Forgery' means an imitation that has been created with the fraudulent intent to deceive in respect of the authorship, origin, date, age, period and the correct description does not correspond with the description in the Catalog and as a result has a value significantly less than it would have been had it been genuine.

7.3. You must notify us in writing within one (1) month of you becoming aware that the Lot may be a Forgery. The Lot must be returned to us in the same condition as at the time of sale and you must submit evidence that the Lot is a Forgery, the onus being on you to prove that it is a Forgery.

7.4. You acknowledge that:

(a) we reserve the right to re-assess the Lot or engage at our expense any expert or authority considered by us at our sole discretion to have the necessary expertise to undertake a re-assessment of the Lot;

(b) following our re-assessment of the Lot, you agree to be bound by our decision as to whether or not the Lot is a Forgery.

7.5. You shall not be entitled to a refund for a Forgery if:

(a) the grounds for claiming that the Lot is a Forgery is based primarily on a difference of opinion between us and a third party providing coin grading services;

(b) the grounds for claiming that the Lot is a Forgery is by reason of any damage and/or restoration and/or modification work of any nature;

(c) the description of the Lot in the Catalog was in accordance with generally accepted opinions of numismatic specialists as at the date of publication or the catalog indicated that there was a conflict of opinion.

(d) it has been proved that the Lot is a Forgery by applying a method that was unavailable or not generally applied within the industry of numismatics as at the date of publication of the catalog or was disproportionately expensive, in both cases as determined in our absolute discretion.

7.6. If we agree that the Lot is a Forgery then subject to:

(a) you being able to confirm in writing that you can transfer legal and beneficial title to the Lot to us or as directed by us free from all encumbrances or third party claims of any nature; and

(b) the exclusions in Condition 7.7,

then the sale of the Lot will be rescinded so that it is cancelled and we will refund the Purchase Price to you in full.

7.7. Your right to return the Lot and receive a refund of the Hammer Price under the Guarantee is your sole remedy against us, our agents and sub-contractors and/or the Seller for a Forgery. You will not be entitled to claim interest on the amount due to you. Neither we, our agents or sub-contractors nor the Seller shall be liable for costs, expenses, damages or any other liability however it arises relating to a Forgery.

7.8. In accordance with the restriction in Condition 10.2, the benefit of the Guarantee is personal to the original Buyer and is not transferable to a new owner of the Lot or any other person.

8. EXCLUSION OF LIABILITY AND WARRANTIES

8.1. Except where these conditions expressly state otherwise, no warranty as to merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose is given to a buyer concerning a lot and each lot is sold "as is" and as shown with all faults, imperfections, errors of description (including authorship, origin, age, size, condition or value) or lack of authenticity or genuineness and neither we nor the seller nor any of our agents or sub-contractors will be liable for any damages, costs, expenses or any other liability arising out of the same whether or not caused by negligence. The auction is not an approval sale.

8.2. Except as provided in 6.3, any claims for adjustment other than authenticity must be made in writing within seven (7) days after delivery of the goods. No Lots may be returned without our written permission. It is the Buyer's responsibility to have the Lots fully insured while in his possession. Our maximum liability under these Conditions is the amount of the Purchase Price paid by you.

8.3. Neither we nor any of our agents or sub-contractors shall be liable, whether in tort (including negligence or breach of statutory duty), contract, misrepresentation or otherwise:

(a) for loss of profits or business, depletion of goodwill and/or similar losses; loss of contracts; or

(b) any special, indirect, incidental, consequential, exemplary or pure economic loss, costs, damages, charges or expenses.

8.4. We shall not be liable to you or be deemed to be in breach of these Conditions by reason of any delay in performing, or any failure to perform, any of our obligations in the Conditions, if the delay or failure was due to any cause beyond our reasonable control.

8.5. Nothing in these Conditions excludes or limits our liability for any matter which it would be illegal for us to exclude or attempt to exclude under New York law or for our fraud or fraudulent misrepresentation.

9. DATA PROTECTION

9.1. By agreeing to these Conditions, a Bidder acknowledges and agrees that we will use personal information of a Bidder for the purpose of the Auction and ancillary matters, including providing a Buyer's personal details to any other person where necessary to enforce our rights under these Conditions.

10. GENERAL

10.1. These Conditions and the Seller's Conditions constitute the entire agreement between us and supersede all other agreements, understandings, warranties and representations concerning the subject matter hereof. All other terms, warranties and representations, express or implied by statute or otherwise are excluded to the fullest extent permitted by law. No variation to these Conditions shall be legally binding unless agreed in writing by us.

10.2. All rights and benefits granted to a Bidder under these Conditions are personal to him and may not be assigned or in any other way transferred to any other person. Any such assignment or transfer will be invalid and unenforceable against us.

10.3. A notice required or permitted to be given by either of us to the other under these Conditions shall, in the case of a Bidder, be to the last address notified to us and in the case of Auctioneer, shall be to the registered office of Auctioneer.

10.4. No failure or delay by us in exercising any of our rights under these Conditions shall be deemed to be a waiver of that right, and no waiver by us of any breach of these Conditions by you shall be considered as a waiver of any subsequent breach of the same or any other provision.

10.5. We may perform our obligations and exercise our respective rights through any of our group companies or assign our rights under these Conditions.

10.6. If any provision of these Conditions is held by any court or other competent authority to be invalid or unenforceable, in whole or in part, the validity of the other provisions and the remainder of the provision in question shall not be affected.

10.7. These Conditions, as well as the Buyer's and our respective rights and obligations hereunder, shall be governed by and construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of New York. By bidding at the Auction, whether in person, by agent, Commission Bid, telephone or other means, the Buyer shall be deemed to have consented to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state courts of, and the federal courts sitting in, the State of New York.

11. INTERPRETATION

11.1. In these Conditions:

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'Lot' means any item deposited with us for sale at auction including items described against any Lot number in a Catalog;

'Purchase Price' means the Hammer Price plus Buyer's Premium and New York sales tax, where applicable;

'Reserve' means a confidential price below which the Auctioneer will not sell a Lot or will re-purchase on behalf of the Seller or for the account of Auctioneer. Unless otherwise specified at the time of Lot consignment, this will be set at approximately 80% of the Lot estimate at complete discretion of the auctioneer;

'Seller's Conditions' means the terms and conditions of sale between Auction Agent and a Seller for the sale of a Lot as displayed in the Auction room, on our website or available from Auction Agent.

11.2. Headings in these Conditions are for convenience only and shall not affect their interpretation.

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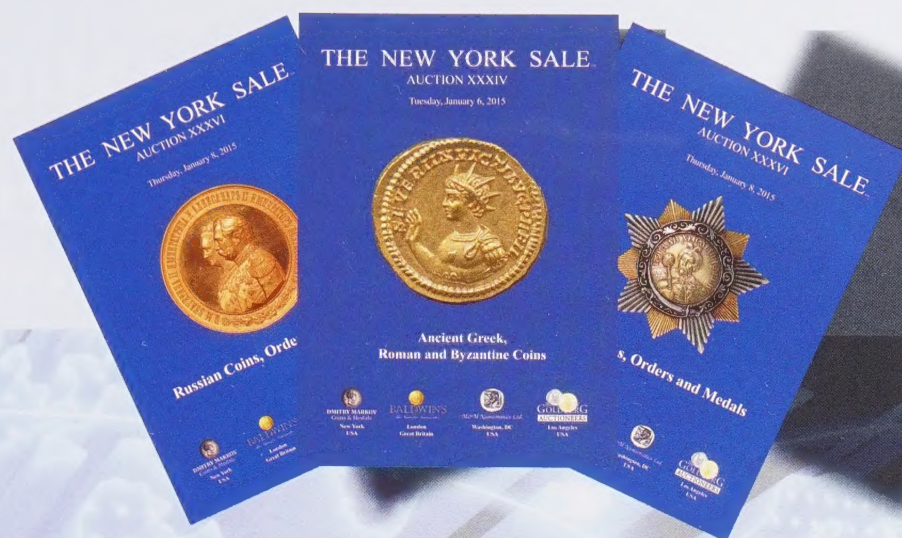
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